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ISRAEL TO MOBILIZE RESERVISTS FOR EXPANDED GAZA OPERATION

Israel's plan includes calling up 60,000 reservists and extending the service of an additional 20,000 currently serving in Gaza Strip

HUMANITARIAN CRISIS COULD GET WORSE

This comes as negotiators scramble to bring Israel and Hamas to agree to a ceasefire ending 22 months of fighting, while international leaders and rights groups warn that an expanded assault, which Israel wants, could deepen Gaza's humanitarian crisis, with most residents displaced, neighborhoods in ruins, and communities facing the threat of famine

ISRAEL EYES 'MILITANT GROUPS' IN HAMAS

- Although Israel has killed much of Hamas' senior leadership, parts of the militant group are actively regrouping and carrying out attacks, including launching rockets towards Israel, an official said | **P12**
- It remains unclear when the Gaza operation will begin, but it could be a matter of days as such a mobilization is largest in months

62K

MORE THAN 62,000 PALESTINIANS KILLED BY ISRAEL IN TWO YEARS

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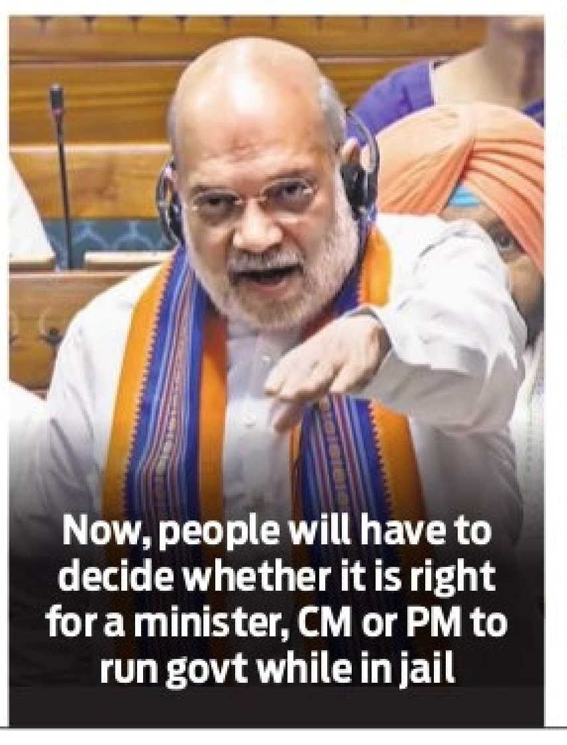
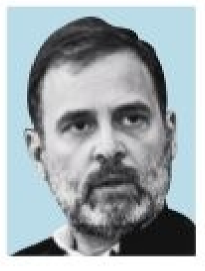
Opposition members protest in the Well of the Lok Sabha during the Monsoon session of Parliament on Wednesday | **PTI**



Now, people will have to decide whether it is right for a minister, CM or PM to run govt while in jail



We are going back to medieval times when the king could just remove anybody at his will

Rahul Gandhi, Congress leader

This is a Black Bill. I strongly condemn this Bill, which strikes at the very root of democracy

M K Stalin, Tamil Nadu CM

This draconian step comes as a death knell for democracy and federalism in India

Mamata Banerjee, Bengal CM

This bill is unconstitutional... Who will arrest PM? BJP wants to make our country a police state

Asaduddin Owaisi, AIMIM chief

ACRIMONIOUS SCENES IN LOK SABHA AS GOVT INTRODUCES 3 CONTENTIOUS BILLS

Bills to sack PM, CMs, ministers sent to JPC

PREETHA NAIR @New Delhi

THE Lok Sabha on Wednesday witnessed unruly scenes as Home Minister Amit Shah introduced three Bills for the removal of prime minister, chief ministers, and ministers under arrest for 30 consecutive days on serious charges.

The Bills—the Constitution (One Hundred And Thirtieth Amendment) Bill 2025, Government of Union Territories (Amendment) Bill 2025; and the Jammu and Kashmir Reorganisation (Amendment) Bill 2025—propose that if a PM, CM, or a Union minister is held in custody for 30 consecutive days for offences carrying a jail term of five years, they will lose their jobs on the 31st day. The Bills have been sent to a Joint Committee of Parliament comprising 21 members from Lok Sabha and 10 from Rajya Sabha for scrutiny.

The constitutional amendment bill will need the support of at least two-thirds of the members in both Houses. The ruling alliance currently lacks such a majority on its own.

The introduction of the Bill after 2 pm led to unprecedented scenes as members of TMC and BJP nearly came to blows.

When Speaker Om Birla allowed Opposition MPs to speak, Trinamool members charged into the Well, shouting slogans and some even tore copies of the draft law in front of Shah.

Several MPs including Congress's K C Venugopal, Manish Tewari, AIMIM's Asaduddin Owaisi and RSP's N K Premachandran spoke against the bills, saying they violated constitutional principles, targeted federalism, and carried the risk of misuse.

Shah defended the bills, saying: "We can't be so shameless to occupy constitutional positions while facing serious charges."

The House plunged into chaos when a TMC MP moved towards Shah's chair, and a few BJP members including Union ministers Kiren Rijiju and Ravneet Singh Bittu rushed to shield Shah. Three House marshals formed a protective ring.

Amid the ruckus, Shah moved the motion by voice vote to send the bills to a joint committee. The panel, whose members will soon be named, has been asked to submit its report to the House by the last day of the first week of the next session.

Shah-KC war of words

Congress MP K C Venugopal referred to Amit Shah's arrest when he was a Gujarat minister in 2010, Shah hit back saying he had quit before the arrest to uphold moral values

Poll-bound Assam to get IIM

The country's 22nd Indian Institute of Management will come up in Guwahati with a central outlay of `555 crore, as both Houses of Parliament cleared the bill. Assam goes to polls next year

LS passes bill banning online money games

RAKESH KUMAR @New Delhi

THE Lok Sabha on Wednesday passed the Promotion and Regulation of Online Gaming Bill, 2025, which aims to ban online games played with money. The government says the move is to tackle gaming addiction, money laundering, and financial fraud linked to such platforms.

The Bill says no individual, company, or platform can offer, promote, or facilitate online money games in India. It also bans advertisements for such games on TV, social media, or any digital platform and prohibits banks and payment firms from processing such transactions.

Sources said online money gaming is very addictive, leading to social harm and also financial loss. An official said 45 crore players lost money, with an estimated ₹26,000 crore loss annually.

The Bill proposes the creation of a central authority that will issue guidelines and directions, which all gaming platforms must follow.

Online money games as those where users deposit money in the hope of winning cash or other rewards. It covers all forms of online betting, including fantasy sports, card games like poker and rummy, and online lotteries.

The Bill was passed by a voice vote after brief comments from Minister of Electronics and Information Technology Ashwini Vaishnaw, even as opposition members staged protests.

Once cleared by both Houses of Parliament, offering or facilitating online money gaming will become a punishable offence, with jail terms of up to three years and fines of up to ₹1 crore.

Advertising such games could attract two years in prison or ₹50 lakh fine.

Those processing payment for these games also face up to three years' imprisonment or a fine of ₹1 crore.

Delhi CM Rekha attacked during public hearing, 1 held

NITIN RAWAT & DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @ New Delhi/Ahmedabad

IN a glaring breach of security, Delhi Chief Minister **Rekha Gupta** was attacked during a public hearing at her residence on Wednesday morning. The attacker, Rajesh Khimjibhai Sakaria, from Rajkot in Gujarat, was arrested on the spot and is being jointly interrogated by IB and Delhi Police's Special Cell.

Police have registered an FIR under attempt to murder charges in connection with the attack. Sakaria has also been booked for allegedly assaulting and obstructing public servant from discharging his duty.

Sakaria reportedly became upset over Delhi's civic drive to capture stray dogs. Eyewitnesses described a commotion as Sakaria approached Gupta with what appeared to be court documents. After handing them over, he allegedly grabbed her by the hair and slapped her, hurling expletives before security personnel intervened. Gupta was taken to a hospital after she sustained minor injuries.

DCP Jagdish Bangarva said Sakaria was booked in five cases between 2017 and 2024, including assault, criminal intimidation, and liquor-related charges, but was acquitted in four.

PWD Minister Parvesh Verma said that the chief minister has sustained injuries to her hand, shoulder and head. A senior police official, who is privy to the probe, said that it was a serious attack, adding that it could have been life threatening. Delhi Minister Kapil Mishra said, "Such an attack on anyone, that too on a woman chief minister, who is dedicated to public work round the clock, was unheard of in Delhi." Delhi BJP chief Virendra Sachdeva said that CM Gupta is "shaken", but is doing fine.

Police sources said that the Ministry of Home Affairs is likely to review the security arrangements of CM Gupta after a report of the incident is submitted by the police. CM Gupta was accorded 'Z' category security by Delhi Police.

Former Delhi chief ministers Arvind Kejriwal and Atishi condemned the attack on Gupta.

Attacker's mother seeks forgiveness

Rajesh Sakaria's mother said her son is not part of any political group but just loses self control when it comes to animals. She sought forgiveness | **P9**

20-year-old Dalit girl's charred body found in C'durga, boyfriend held

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chitradurga

A 20-year-old Dalit college student was allegedly murdered and burnt to death by her boyfriend in Chitradurga. The police have taken the accused, a 21-year-old unemployed school-dropout, into custody for questioning.

Various Dalit organisations and ABVP, the student wing of the BJP, alleged the victim was raped and murdered. The police are, however, yet to confirm the charges of rape.

Superintendent of Police Ranjit Kumar Bandaru said the body of a young woman was found in a charred state on Tuesday in a vacant plot on NH 48 in Gonur village under Chitradurga Rural Police Station limits. The police suspect the victim was killed and the body burnt using petrol by the accused.

The victim was a second year BA student at Government Women's College in Chitradurga. She stayed at the college hostel and had informed the hostel warden that she will be going to her village at Koverahatti in Hiriyur taluk on August 14. She told her family that she was going out with a friend Chethan. Later when she did not reach home and could not be reached on her mobile phone, the victim's mother went to the hostel on Tuesday to check her whereabouts. The mother also lodged a complaint with the police.

On Tuesday evening, the mother identified her daughter's charred body at the mortuary of Chitradurga District Hospital based on a tattoo on her hand. **P5**

WORRISOME

66% industries operating sans consent in K'taka: CAG

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@Bengaluru

THE CAG report citing Subject Specific Compliance Audit (SSCA) on the functioning of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (KSPCB), on Wednesday stated that 66 per cent of industries in Karnataka operated without valid Consent for Establishments (CFE) or Consent for Operations (CFO). Also, many continued operations even after approvals had expired.

The CAG pointed to information gathered from the departments of Industries and Commerce, Forests and Railways, and cross-verified it with Karnataka State Pollution Control Board data, which revealed that of 2,756 industries, 1,827 (66%) had obtained consents; 66 industries and 22 railway stations/sheds/sidings were covered under the consent net.

The SSCA, conducted from 2018-19 to 2022-23, also noted that 2,556 applicants which were issued CFE did not obtain CFO, and neither did they renew the CFO. This list included 1,809 industries and 747 apartments, with the most being in Mysuru and Mangaluru.

The auditors pointed out: "KSPCB did not maintain a comprehensive database of industries operating in Karnataka, and hence there was no assurance that all industries operating complied with environmental laws. KSPCB had also not coordinated with other departments, including railways, industry and commerce and local bodies."

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CM: Modified report to ensure fairness, equality

Bengaluru: CM Siddaramaiah reaffirmed his cabinet decision to modify recommendations of Justice HN Nagamohan Das Commission for internal quota for SC by forming three groups among 101 castes to share the 17% quota| **P4**

Only tax terrorism, no development: Ashoka

Bengaluru: LoP R Ashoka hit out at State Government for increasing and introducing more taxes as it does not have funds for development. He said the govt is indulging in "tax terrorism" | **P4**

TOP COURT QUESTIONS POWERS OF GOVERNORS

If a governor has the power to permanently withhold assent to the Bills passed by State legislature, it could leave the elected govt at the whims and fancies of an unelected person, SC said while hearing Presidential reference case | **P9**

CRUDE IMPORT

WILL PROTECT INDIA FROM ANY U.S. SANCTIONS: RUSSIA

JAYANTH JACOB @New Delhi

AMID rising tensions between New Delhi and Washington over India's continued purchase of Russian oil, Moscow has put in place a "special mechanism" to protect its energy ties with India from possible US sanctions, Russian Charge d'Affaires Roman Babushkin said on Wednesday.

Babushkin defended India's right to energy security, calling Western pressure "unjustified" and "neo-colonial." His remarks come days after US Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent reiterated the US's possible secondary tariffs on India, adding to the 25% duties already in effect.

Roman Babushkin

The Russian diplomat stressed that the Russia-India strategic partnership has grown rapidly across key sectors, particularly defense and energy, and asserted Moscow's role as a "partner of choice" for New Delhi's military requirements. He said both nations are committed to expanding trade volumes to $100 billion by 2030 and that India's increasing energy needs make the Russian oil partnership indispensable.

"Russia is the largest supplier of crude oil to India. If India were to bow to external pressure and stop this procurement, it wouldn't result in any meaningful cooperation with the West," Babushkin said. "On the contrary, the sanctions are hurting those who are imposing them." When asked about the potential discount India might get, he said "a five per cent swing is possible subject to negotiation." India has justified its imports of Russian oil on strategic and economic grounds. Babushkin said, "Our special mechanism is in place to navigate sanctions-related disruptions," he said.

ROARING BEAUTY

The famous Jog Falls in Shivamogga district in full glory after water was released into the Sharavathi river from Linganamakki reservoir. The Sharavathi catchment area has been receiving heavy rainfall | **NAGARAJ**

NGT orders not binding on state govt: Min Boseraju

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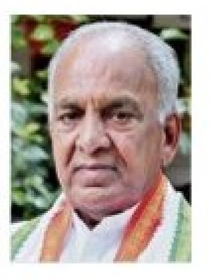
KARNATAKA Minor Irrigation Minister **NS Boseraju** on Wednesday said on the floor of the House that the National Green Tribunal (NGT) orders are not binding on the state government, and that the tribunal only "gives suggestions" to the states.

While responding to a debate in the Legislative Council on the Karnataka Tank Conservation and Development Authority (KTDCA) Amendment Bill-2025, which proposes reducing the buffer zone around lakes, the minister said that the NGT is not a constitutional court, and so its orders are not binding. "Its orders are not binding on us. The NGT is a tribunal. They give suggestions and directions to the states to protect the environment," he said, while defending the bill.



Sharply criticising Boseraju, noted environmentalist AN Yellappa Reddy, a former Indian Forest Service officer, said, "He (Boseraju) must be speaking from the top of his head and must be ignorant. He cannot make such statements as NGT orders are definitely binding on the states." Unlike other courts, NGT also comprises experts, and orders are based on facts, said Reddy. **P4**

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• Gulikakala: 09:00 am to 10:30 am • Yamaganda: 03:00 am to 04:30 am

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MIN 19°C MAX 28°C
FORECAST
Showers late. cloudiness

Sunrise	06.08 am
Sunset	06.37 pm
Moonrise	04.09 am
Moonset	05.21 pm

THIS OR THAT?

Tunnel vs surface road: Land needed is same, say experts

32.29 hectares will be acquired for proposed 16.7-km tunnel between Hebbal & Silk Board

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KARNATAKA Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar's recent reply to BJP MLC CT Ravi revealed that 32.29 hectares (79.79 acres) of land will be acquired for the proposed 16.7-km Tunnel Road Project (TRP) between Hebbal and Silk Board.

An expert analysis has compared this land requirement with the length of regular surface roads that could be built using the same area.

Explaining the comparison, Rajkumar Dugar, founder of Citizens for Citizens, said the land to be acquired for the tunnel road could instead be used to construct 16.1 km of a two-way, two-lane road with a median and footpaths, or 11.5km of a 3+3 lane road with median and footpaths.

Questioning the logic, Dugar said, "With 80 acres to be acquired for this project, the very basis for taking it up, because land required for regular surface roads is huge, turns out to be hollow. Eight entry and 8 exit ramps of average 1.1km length each, as well as massive ventilator shafts, will need a lot of land. So, why should we opt for the 16km Tunnel Road Project, which needs land that can accommodate a 16km two-lane or an 11.5km six-lane road?" Instead, the focus must shift fully to completing infra projects languishing for years, improving drainage, footpaths and existing roads, along with quick and drastic improvements to the three modes of public transport -- bus, metro and rail, he said.

Another independent mobility expert, Satya Arikutharam, highlighting what the acquired land will be used for, said, "The land acquisition is primarily for shaft locations, which is planned to become commercial complexes after completing the tunnelling. Basically, public investment for private profits. Indeed, it is a modified Build-Own-Operate-Transfer (BOOT) model."

The proposed North-South tunnel road corridor from Hebbal to Central Silk Board, a pet project of Shivakumar, who also holds the Bengaluru Development portfolio, is aimed at easing traffic congestion in Bengaluru. The project intends to divert vehicles underground, thereby reducing the burden on surface roads. The corridor is expected to significantly cut travel time and streamline vehicular movement across the city's busiest stretches. It is positioned as a major infrastructure initiative to tackle Bengaluru's long-standing traffic woes.

Crowd control bill proposes jail term, ₹1 cr fine

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THE Karnataka government proposes to bring a stringent Act to effectively control crowds, and manage mass gatherings at events. The Karnataka Crowd Control (managing crowds at events and place of gathering) Bill, 2025, was tabled in the Legislative Assembly on Wednesday to effectively control crowds and manage mass gatherings at events and functions, to prevent unlawful gatherings and provide punishment for offences. It is a fallout of 11 deaths in the stampede at M Chinnaswamy Stadium during the RCB IPL victory event.

The bill is a fallout of 11 deaths in the stampede at M Chinnaswamy Stadium

The organisers have to execute an indemnity bond of Rs 1 crore at the time of obtaining permission from the authority. Unpermitted events or functions are punishable with imprisonment for a minimum of three years and up to seven years, with a fine of up to Rs 1 crore or both. Whoever disturbs or attempts to disturb an orderly crowd in any event by creating false rumours, statements, acts or causing breach of peace, including threat of collective violence, destruction of property, or other unlawful acts, shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years or Rs 50,000 or both. For crowd disasters, imprisonment ranges from minimum three years up to seven years of life sentence for causing injuries and fatalities. Whoever disobeys or abets to disobey the directions of a police officer above the rank of sub-inspector on duty, to disperse, shall be liable to pay a fine of Rs 50,000, and community service for one month.

As per the draft, "crowd" means a group of 5,000 or more people gathered for a common purpose or intent. Organisers have to obtain permission from the jurisdictional authority. When the crowd is less than 7,000, the officer in charge of the police station may grant permission. When the crowd is more than 7,000 but less than 50,000, the Deputy SP may grant permission.When the crowd is more than 50,000, the jurisdictional SP or Commissioner of Police may grant permission. Offences are cognizable, non-bailable and triable by the Judicial Magistrate First Class. Other existing Acts, including BNSS 2023, will have provisions to deal with the offences. If any property, public or private, is damaged or destroyed, or any human life lost in any civil disturbance, the organisers are liable to compensate for the loss.

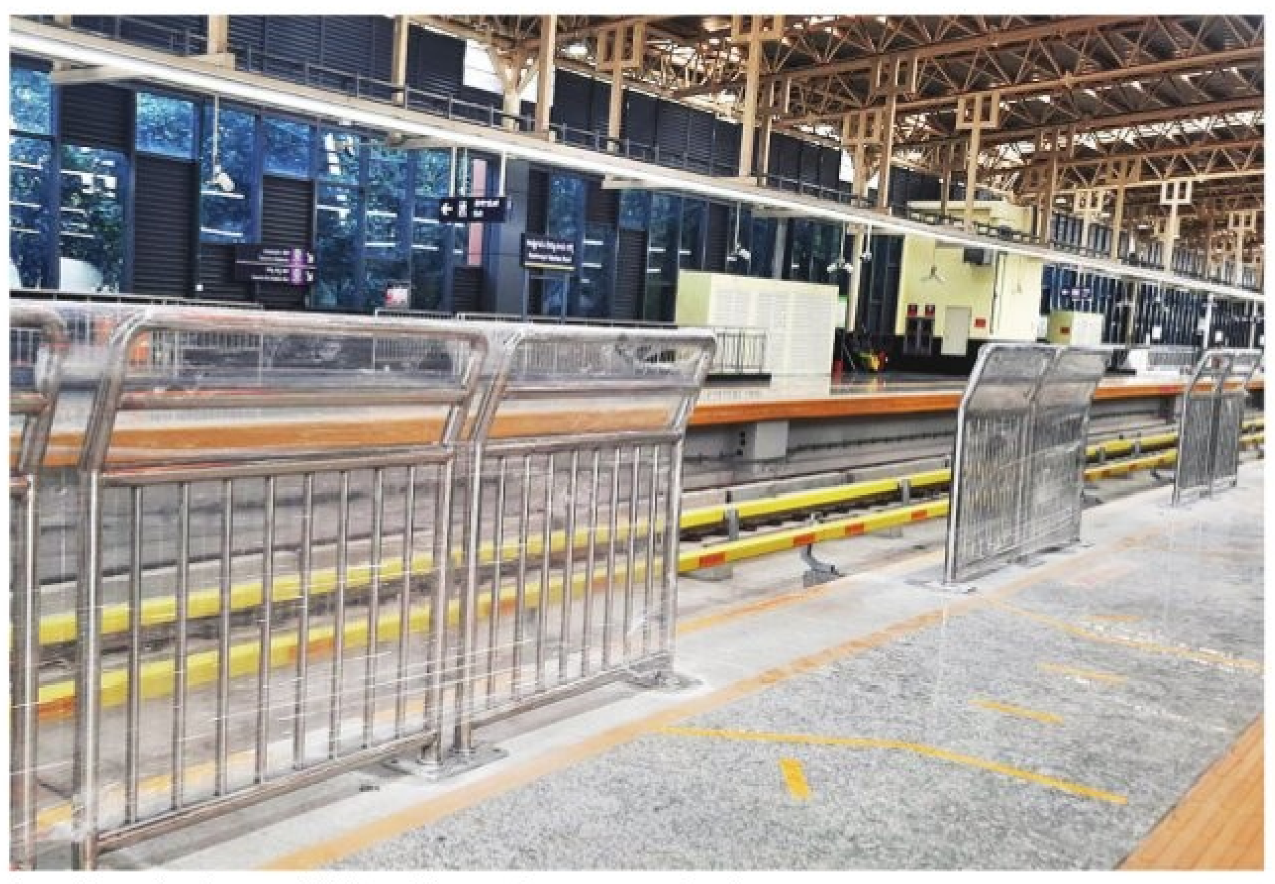
The Act is not applicable to family functions or events held in private premises.

Road work hits business, hoteliers write to DCM

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CITING delay in completion of road repair work across the city has reduced the income of hotels, bars and restaurants by 50 per cent, the Bangalore Hotels Association has written to Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar, urging him to ensure that work is completed at the earliest. Referring to the work, particularly on Seetha Circle Road, Dr Rajkumar Road, Mosque Road, Platform Road (Seshadripuram) and Mission Road, the association demanded that if work is not completed within the deadline, the government should reduce property tax, garbage tax, electricity fixed charges, excise fee and other licence fee by at least 50 per cent to reduce the financial burden on traders.

Honorary president of the association PC Rao stated that no road work is being completed before the deadline. Work that was to get over in three months is taking more than a year. "This has not only affected hotels, bakeries, sweet stalls, bars and restaurants but also other businesses on stretches where work is being carried out. We are seeing a severe dip in business which has reduced our revenues by around 50 per cent. This apart, those who walk on these roads, especially senior citizens, are facing problems. Hence, we have written to the Deputy Chief Minister, requesting him to ensure completion of work at the earliest," he said.


Steel barricades at RV Road Interchange station | PIC: SHILPA RAO ON X @SHILGIRI_RAO

RV Road interchange gets steel barricades

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THE Bengaluru Metro Rail Corporation Limited (BMRCL) has begun installing steel barricades on platforms at the RV Road Interchange Metro Station to improve passenger safety. The station connects the Green Line with the recently inaugurated Yellow Line.

"The installation of barricades at the RV Road Interchange Station is underway, and so far, on one side, the barricades have been almost completely installed. The installation for the station will be completed in the next two to three days," a senior BMRCL official said.

The barricades are being set up to ensure safe and efficient passenger movement, particularly at the interchange where heavy footfall is expected. Officials noted that the 25-minute wait time for Yellow Line trains often leads to passenger accumulation, increasing the risk of overcrowding. By regulating entry and exit points, the barricades are aimed at preventing congestion near train doors and providing commuters with a safer boarding experience. Passengers have welcomed the initiative, saying it will bring more order to crowd management at the interchange.

RV Road is the second station in the Namma Metro network to have steel barricades after Nadaprabhu Kempegowda Interchange.The 19.5-km Yellow Line, connecting RV Road to Bommasandra, was opened earlier this month after multiple delays.

Mysuru students win aeromodelling competition held by Boeing

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

BOEING announced the winners of its 10th annual Boeing National Aeromodelling Competition on Tuesday, with the grand finale being held in Bengaluru. The team from Nitte Mahalinga College, Mysuru, comprising Prajwal BT, Ashik, Pradyumna Bhat, and Adarsh HN, was declared the winner.

This year, the competition saw participation from more than 1,400 students representing 432 institutions across India. The zonal rounds of the competition were held at IIT Kanpur, IIT Bombay, IIT Kharagpur, and IIT Madras. Chief Engineer at Boeing India Stacie Sire said, "This competition introduces students to the rigour of aerospace design and execution. Working with timelines and performance parameters prepares participants for the practical demands of the industry while fostering innovation and problem-solving skills."

President at Boeing India & South Asia Salil Gupte said, "As one of the world's fastest-growing aviation markets, India is rapidly building up its aerospace workforce. We are proud that the Boeing National Aeromodelling Competition has provided talented engineers a platform to demonstrate talent in designing real solutions for the aerospace industry."

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Job fair for senior citizens on September 7

BENGALURU: Nightingale Empowerment Foundation, part of Nightingales Medical Trust (NMT), is organising its 10th annual free job fair at St Joseph's University on September 7 to celebrate World Senior Citizens Day. The fair, to be held from 9am to 3pm, is meant for senior citizens, and will hope to provide support towards their financial independence. As per a survey conducted by NMT, out of roughly 15 crore senior citizens in the country, nearly 75% is occupied by a financially dependent demographic. The same survey shows many able-bodied individuals to exist in the 60-70 year-old age group, who remain out of employment due to a lack of opportunities. Employers and potential applicants in the age group of 55-70 are invited to register at www.nightingale-sjobs60plus.com. For more details, call 080-42426565, 9243737214 or 8951441316. **ENS**

FIBA Asia President K Govindaraj presents the FIBA Asia Cup 2025 to winners Australia who beat China (90-89) in the finals held in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, on Sunday

GANESHA FESTIVAL: 75 SINGLE-WINDOW CENTRES TO BE SET UP

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AHEAD of the Gauri-Ganesha festival, Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) has issued a set of guidelines on Wednesday, which includes a complete ban on the use of chemical paints, thermocol, and plaster of Paris (PoP) idols. Idols found to be made with any of the aforementioned items will be seized and disposed of, and criminal cases will be filed against individuals found responsible, BBMP Chief Commissioner Maheshwar Rao M said.

The order follows discussions held on August 5.

To erect Ganesha idols in public places, organisations or individuals must apply at the offices of the assistant executive engineers designated as nodal officers at the sub-divisional level.

The nodal officers will coordinate with the police, BESCOM, fire department, and other relevant departments to obtain and issue approvals.

To streamline the process of granting permissions for the installation of Ganesha idols, 75 single-window centres will be set up at sub-divisional offices within BBMP limits, and relevant officers will be present at these centres to provide approval.

As far as immersion is concerned, designated immersion locations in each ward will be identified by BBMP. To handle the wet waste generated during the festival celebrations, arrangements will be made to send the waste to the BBMP's processing units. Apart from public displays, individuals celebrating at home are urged to immerse the idols at home in buckets, and repurpose the clay remnants into manure.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

21st August : A sweet, sensitive Moon indicates that many of us will be making idealistic and optimistic resolutions for the next twelve months. The rest of us may just be confused. But, then, today doesn't really have much astrological significance, so we can always wait for tomorrow!

ARIES
(Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Have other people been dragging their heels or simply giving you the runaround? Either way you do have cause to grumble. However, the question to be carefully considered is whether you should keep your complaints to yourself and be gentle and diplomatic.

TAURUS
(Apr. 21 - May 21)
As the dust settles you'll see that so much more now seems to be attainable. The price of freedom is often high, but as time passes you will see that recent tough decisions put you on the right course. You're still encountering some challenges today, but the effect will be to help you sharpen up your act.

GEMINI
(May 22 - June 21)
Financial muddles may only have added to the general air of confusion, yet there does seem to be considerable hope that matters are about to improve. The answer may lie in new partnerships. I suspect that you will soon be able to turn the tables on a rival.

CANCER
(June 22 - July 23)
Unlikely events may be seen as stepping stones to a brighter, happier, freer future. You are still juggling a variety of possibilities, so you must understand that complications are inevitable. It's how you deal with them that matters, so play it carefully.

LEO
(July 24 - Aug. 23)
The Sun, which always has a significant role in your life, is helping you develop and project certain of your more adventurous aspirations. In short, it's a superb time to organise an overseas trip. It's in foreign places that you'll discover your deeper destiny.

VIRGO
(Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
Mercury's current intriguing movements bring various possibilities to the fore. One is the need to develop your mind by taking up new interests. Another concerns the pleasure, inspiration and stimulation you will receive from long-distance travel.

LIBRA
(Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Pleasant lunar alignments encourage you to do your best. You may have backed down too often in the past. But, this time, why don't you support your instincts and hunches? True, other people will have useful things to say but, looking at the next few days, it becomes clear that you will have to keep your own counsel.

SCORPIO
(Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Your planetary rulers, Mars and Pluto, are still pulling you in different directions. This is a sign that there is little chance for compromise. You are correct to stand your ground, but equally right to be diplomatic. It's as if you have to try and be two people at the same time.

SAGITTARIUS
(Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
You may still feel as if you're riding an emotional roller-coaster, although it now looks as if recent planetary storms are dying down. Stand back and attempt to take a critical look at your attitudes and opinions. After all, something, somewhere, has to change - and for the better!

CAPRICORN
(Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
This week's planetary patterns, notably the tough Mars-Saturn angle, are of the kind that rock the boat but help you sort the future out. Don't worry, though. Your trust has not been misplaced, but do go back and check one more time that you have done everything right.

AQUARIUS
(Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
One of the great themes this week is honesty. If you run into any problems with a partner or loved one, don't blame the world at large or retreat behind a mask. Pretending that you don't feel as you do will serve no purpose and will only prolong a misunderstanding.

PISCES
(Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
The planets do not move significantly, so don't expect much change just yet. You will do your best by continuing along your present path, dealing with commitments and responsibilities left over from yesterday. And do keep a very sharp eye on your money; generosity is fine but you don't want to be taken for a ride - do you?

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Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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SUDOKU MEDIUM

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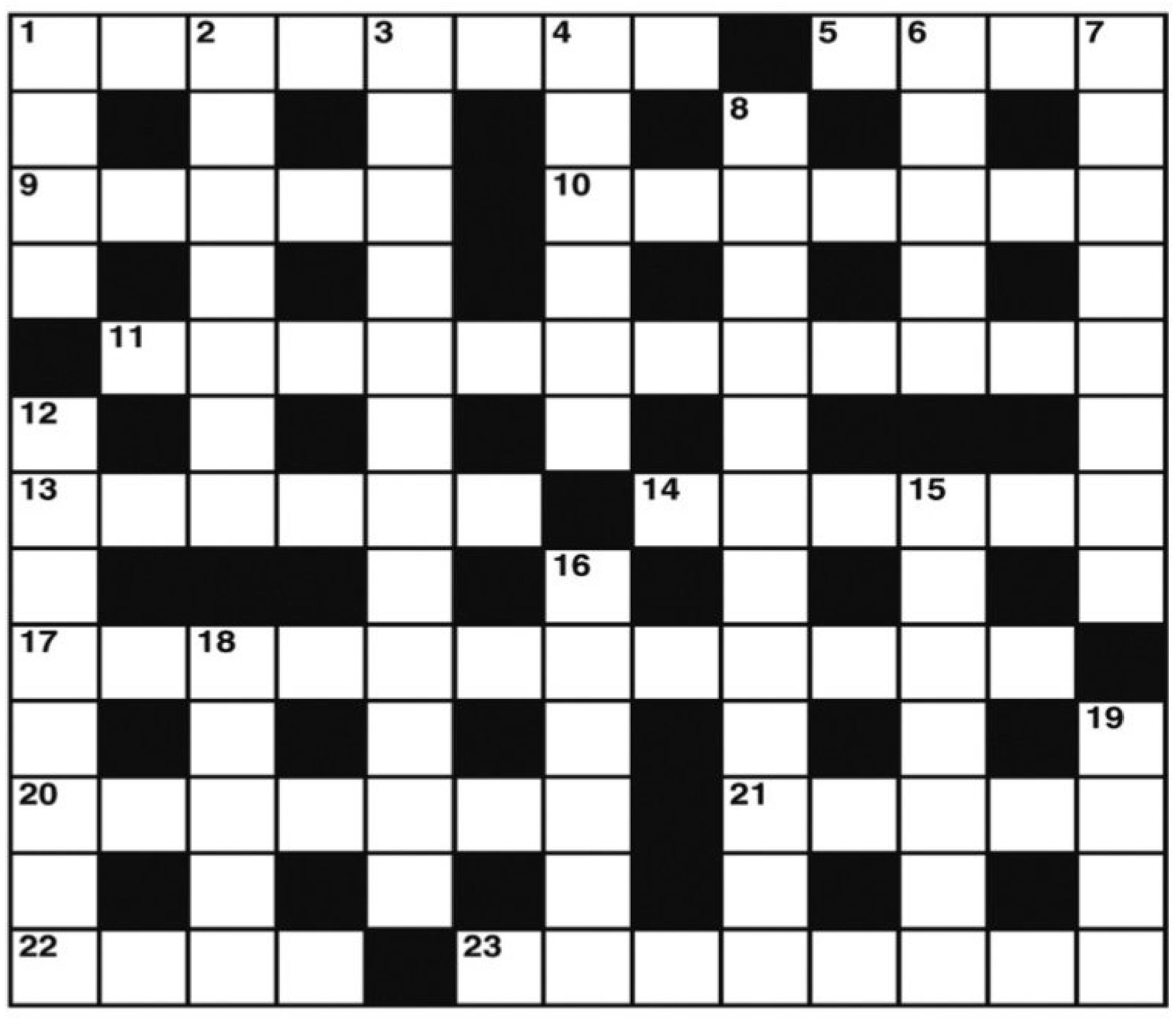
Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.



CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Really go wild with a symbolic story (8)
5 Speed charge (4)
9 Poet who makes a big hit in American sport (5)
10 Rock band (7)
11 Progress with amorous overtures? (4,8)
13 A limited amount is distributed to Iran (6)
14 Old man's edgy companion? (6)
17 Confidence in the theatre (5,7)
20 Collects the rags for recycling (7)
21 Children of Susie? (5)
22 Rifle fire (4)
23 Ships, and in them pirates (8)

DOWN
1 Current male desire (4)
2 Beat a doctor in the final (7)
3 It was heaven on earth while it lasted (6,2,4)
4 Settle concerning interest (6)
6 Greek Upper Chamber (5)
7 Involved - that's the conclusion about me and a girl (8)
8 Radioactivity? (12)
12 Papers including long-range forecasts (8)
15 One star turn nobody applauds (7)
16 One drink after another (6)
18 It can turn into quite a lark (5)
19 Headland or loch (4)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Orphanage, 8 Unite, 9 Teenage, 10 Borneo, 11 Zealot, 12 Immersed, 15 Dividend, 18 Isolde, 20 Rarity, 21 Digital, 22 Eagle, 23 Sure thing.

Down: 2 Reeve, 3 Handle, 4 Negative, 5 Europe, 6 Lioness, 7 Recondite, 11 Zuider Zee, 13 Medicine, 14 Average, 16 Duties, 17 Polish, 19 Drain.

JUMBLE

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

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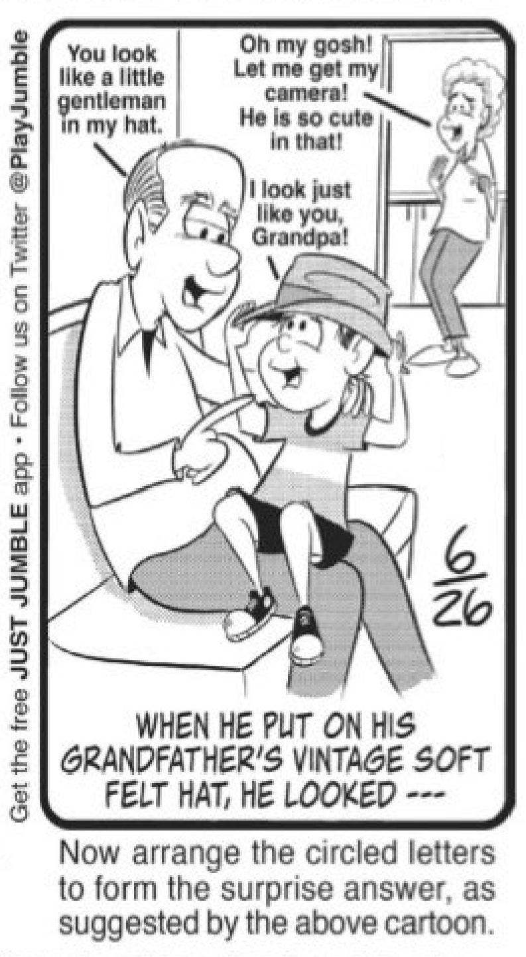
You look like a little gentleman in my hat.
Oh my gosh! Let me get my camera! He is so cute in that!
I look just like you, Grandpa!
6/26

WHEN HE PUT ON HIS GRANDFATHER'S VINTAGE SOFT FELT HAT, HE LOOKED ---

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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Answer here: " "

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: GRIPE INPUT IRONIC HUMANE
Answer: Because of nearby thunderstorms, flight arrival times were now — UP IN THE AIR

THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS
BENGALURU

A farmer died by suicide due to debt in Kavalaga village of Kalaburagi on Wednesday. The deceased has been identified as Hanumant. Sources said that Hanumant died by hanging himself to a rope tied to the instrument meant for pulling water and jumping in the well. He has three acres of land and had borrowed loans of Rs 2 lakhs from nationalised banks and around Rs 3 lakhs from private money lenders

CRIME PATROL

Charred body of man found, suicide suspected

Bengaluru: The charred body of a 36-year-old man was found on SM Road in Bagalagunte police limits on Wednesday. Police suspect it to be a case of suicide. The deceased is Jnanesh of Bagalagunte. A passerby alerted 'Namma 112' about the inci-dent by the side of SM Road around 4 am. Jnanesh's family members told police that he was an alcoholic and was in a rehabilitation centre for some time. However, he did not stop drinking. He stopped going to work and slept at bus shelters. He used to demand money from his younger brother to buy liquor. They told police that Jnanesh might have allegedly set himself ablaze. He might have taken the extreme step due to distress. **ENS**

Man trying to board BMTC bus, dies

Bengaluru: A 64-year-old man died after he was run over by a BMTC bus near Jayanagar on Wednesday. The deceased is Sampangi of Jayanagar, 9th Block. He was a daily wage worker. The incident happened when he was about to get into the bus. The bus driver shut the rear door without noticing him. He then tried to board the bus through its front door, but fell down. The bus ran over him, killing him on the spot. **ENS**

Create a digital platform to keep forest land records: HC directs state

The integrated platform should have an automated system: Court

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
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WHILE laws like the Forest Conservation Act of 1980 mandate that any diversion of forest land for non-forest use requires prior approval from the Central Government, illegal diversion still occurs in some areas, leading to degradation and loss of forest cover, said the Karnataka High Court while directing the State government to create a central integrated geospatial platform to maintain the forest land records.

The integrated platform should combine the data of all types of lands, including the Unique Land Parcel Identification Number (ULPIN), said Justice Suraj Govindaraj, while issuing a series of directions and dismissing a batch of petitions involving the dispute revolving around the layouts formed in Devanahalli taluk for which the notices have been issued by forest department.

"While Karnataka has made significant strides in land records modernisation, the current situation proves that digitisation alone is insufficient. The critical failure is the lack of a single, unified source of truth. The Digital India Land Records Modernisation Programme (DILRMP) has been a significant initiative, succeeding in computerising land records and integrating Sub-Registrar Offices with land records", the court said.

> **The current situation proves that digitisation alone is insufficient. The critical failure is the lack of a single, unified source of truth**
>
> —High Court

The court also directed the state government to set up an inter-departmental land dispute resolution cell under the supervision of the Chief Secretary. This cell should contain the representatives from the revenue department, forest department, and urban planning department, to mediate and issue binding inter-departmental orders on the issue of conflicting forest land records.

The court said that the integrated platform should have an automated system to streamline the land-related applications to ensure that no land-related action is taken without the mandatory, real-time verification against the unified land database. Giving an example, the court said that deputy commissioners or planning authorities would have to be legally barred from processing any land conversion or layout sanction applications until the automated system performs a check against the integrated forest map.

DC orders mandatory traffic lessons in schools

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

WITH cases of children being involved in road accidents while crossing roads on the rise, Bengaluru Urban Deputy Commissioner G Jagadeesh has instructed the School Education Department to conduct mandatory awareness programmes on traffic safety rules in all schools.

He was speaking while chairing the District Road Safety Committee meeting on Wednesday at the Urban District Commissioner's office, which was attended by officials from the Department of School Education, National Highways Authority of India, KSRTC, BMTC, and others.

Jagadeesh told education department officials that children must cross roads with the help of school ayahs, school vehicle drivers must undergo compulsory checks, and schools must ensure that buses do not carry more children than the permitted limit. To control accidents, he suggested identifying accident-prone locations and installing black spot signboards.

He also directed the District Health Officer and Transport Department to prepare road maps identifying GPS-based accident-prone locations so that ambulance services can be deployed immediately at such spots.

He further asked all departments to present action plans and measures taken for reducing accidents through a PPT in the next meeting.

'Cancel licences of wheelie riders'

As the number of wheelie cases continues to rise, transport officials informed the meeting that youngsters perform dangerous bike stunts on Hebbal Flyover and Kunigal Road in Nelamangala every weekend, causing inconvenience to commuters and the public. Taking note of this, DC Jagadeesh instructed transport officials to book strict cases against them and cancel their driving licences.

KSCA ELECTION

Ex-Indian cricketer Venkestesh Prasad and former Indian captain Santha Rangaswamy launch the manifesto for the Karnataka State Cricket Association 2025-28 elections, which will be held later this year, in Bengaluru on Wednesday | VINOD KUMAR T

EXPRESS READ

'Better primary care improves health coverage'

Bengaluru: As part of its three-day XX International Conference on Public Policy & Management, IIM Bangalore's Centre for Public Policy (CPP) organised a panel discussion on "pathways from primary health care to universal health care" on Wednesday. The session examined how stronger district-level primary health systems can lead to better Universal Health Coverage (UHC) outcomes. Presenting findings from a research project carried out in Jharkhand and Karnataka, Arnab Mukherji, faculty of the public policy area of IIMB, said that districts were assessed on a Primary Health Care (PHC) input index that evaluates the performance, access, quality, capacity and financing of PHC. He also said that the UHC outcomes index measures health outcomes, including maternal and child health, non-communicable diseases and financial risk protection. The analysis showed a direct link between strong PHC systems and improved UHC outcomes at district level. While Jharkhand performed poorly on both indices, Karnataka showed mixed trends, with some districts achieve better outcomes. **ENS**

K'taka cadets win big at shooting competition

Bengaluru: The Karnataka directorate of the National Cadet Corps (NCC) won the first prize at the NCC Inter Directorate Sports Shooting Competition 2025, held at Shivaji University, Kolhapur, on Tuesday. The team, comprising 20 cadets, were honoured at a ceremony at the Jalahalli East Air Force Station on Wednesday, in the presence of Kargil War veteran Colonel Rajesh Shah and others. A total of 320 cadets from 17 directorates participated, which had multiple formats of shooting and was held from August 5 to August 19. This is the third consecutive win for the Karnataka in the competition, which finished this year with a total of eight medals. Thejaswi KT and Tarun C bagged the two gold medals; Sharvani Mysoremathhas, Samruddi Patil, and Tarun C (again) won silver medals; Sindhu C, Pravalika H, and Kalpith JP won bronze medals. **ENS**

Thief dies by suicide in police station restroom

ENS @Bengaluru

A 59-year-old habitual thief arrested on charges of committing theft at temples and in anganwadi in Channapatna taluk of Bengaluru South district (Ramanagara) was found dead in the washroom of the MK Doddi police station on Wednesday.

The deceased has been identified as Ramesh, a native of Dundanahalli of Maddur in Mandya. Ramesh was found hanging from the knob of the washroom door. He had used his panche (dhoti) to take the extreme step. The body was shifted to Channapatna Government Hospital's mortuary for the postmortem.

Asha and Usha, daughters of Ramesh, accused the police of their father's death.

Senior police officers have ruled out the lock-up death allegations. The victim, along with his son and another person, was arrested for reportedly stealing cash, silver ornaments from Beereshwara and Mahadeshwara temples at Bommanayakanahalli and a gas cylinder from an anganwadi.

Bengaluru South District Superintendent of Police Srinivas R Gowda, speaking to *TNIE*, said that the case has been handed over to CID. "A UDR case has been registered in the MK Doddi police station. Lock-up death allegation is subject to investigation by CID, and no action has been taken against the Police Sub-Inspector (PSI) who is the station house officer", Gowda added. Ramesh is said to be a habitual offender. He has also been convicted in a few cases.

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Corporate Identity Number: U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
(Contact No. 96461-17607)

Tender Enquiry No. 93/GHTP/MM-II/HM-215(IV) **Dated : 18-08-2025**

Superintending Engineer/MM-II/GHTP, Lehra Mohabbat invites E-tenders for the work of "Repair/ Overhauling including replacement of spares of 03 no. Transmission Assemblies and an engine of BEML make Bulldozers BD-155" as per tender specifications.

For more details, please refer to website **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **19-08-2025** at **11:00 AM** onwards.

NOTE: Corrigendum and addendum if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** only.

786/GHTP-66/25/19/08/2025
1079/12/2025-26/2383

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No.OERC/ADM-108(I)/1086 Dated- 20.08.2025
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Odisha Electricity Regulatory Commission (OERC), a statutory body constituted by Government of Odisha as per Odisha Electricity Reform Act 1995, invites applications for filling up one post of **Commission Secretary** on direct recruitment or deputation basis for a maximum period of 3 years, from eligible candidates, who have worked in senior positions in Central/State Governments, Public Sector Undertakings, Power Utilities, Regulatory Commissions, Universities (both Public and Private), Autonomous Bodies under Government etc. The details of post like minimum/essential qualifications and additional desirable qualifications and experience including functions and duties of Commission Secretary etc. including format for submission of Bio-data are given in OERC website **www.orierc.org.**

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PREMISES REQUIRED FOR SHIFTING OF OUR BANK BRANCHES

Indian Overseas Bank invites offers for Commercial Premises space on **Ground Floor, within 01 KM Distance (Approx.)** from existing premises. The name of branches for shifting is given below :

Sl. No.	Branch Name	Current Address	Preferable Area Required
01.	Cox Town Branch	# 157, MM Road, Frazer Town, Bengaluru - 560005, Karnataka	1200 - 1800 Sq.Ft.
02.	East End Main Road Branch	# 42/166, East End Main Road, Jayanagar, 9th Block Bengaluru - 560069, Karnataka	1500-1800 Sq.Ft.
03.	S C Garden Branch	# 35/1 St. John's Road, Sivan Chetty Gardens, Bengaluru - 560042, Karnataka	1500-1800 Sq.Ft.
04.	Singanayakana halli / Avalahalli	# 116/1, Avalahalli Gate, Avalahalli Village, Singanayakanahalli Post, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru - 560064, Karnataka.	1200-1800 Sq.Ft.
05.	Sahakar Nagar Branch	# 553, Ground Floor, F Block, Sahakarnagar, Bengaluru - 560092, Karnataka.	1200-1800 Sq.Ft.
06.	Kothanur Branch	# 49/2, Hennur - Bagalur ROAD, Gubbi Cross, Kothanur, Bengaluru 560077, Karnataka	1200-1800 Sq.Ft.
07.	Chikkabidrakallu Branch	Behind Sri Ram Public School, Near Godrej Gold County, Behind Parle Factory, Tumkur Road, Chikkabidrakallu, Bengaluru - 560073, Karnataka.	1200-1800 Sq.Ft.
08.	Arasinagunte Binnamangala Branch	Site No.135/245-247 & 135/37, B H Road, Binnamangala, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural, Karnataka - 562 123.	1200-1800 Sq.Ft.

Interested persons may submit the bids under two bid system- Technical & Financial in prescribed format in 2 separate sealed envelopes to **Chief Manager, Indian Overseas Bank, 10/1, 3rd Floor, Laxminarayan Complex, Palace Road, Vasanth Nagar, Bengaluru - 560052 (Mob. 7033061959; Email: 0800rogad@iob.in) within 30 days of this advertisement.** Application form & detailed terms and conditions can be obtained from our branch or by contacting above mentioned numbers.

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PREMISES REQUIRED FOR OPENING OF NEW BANK BRANCHES

Indian Overseas Bank invites offers for commercial premises space on **Ground Floor, with parking facility on Main Road with Good Visibility** at following locations in Bangalore and nearby districts. The tentative name of places is given below :

PREFERABLE AREA REQUIRED : 1200 – 1800 SQ.FT.

Sl. No.	Name of Area	Sl. No.	Name of Area
01.	Kengeri	10.	Kolar
02.	Hoskote	11.	Baglur
03.	Whitefield	12.	Varthur
04.	Gunjur	13.	Sarjapura Road
05.	Anekal	14.	Attibele
06.	Marathalli	15.	Bommasandra
07.	Budigere	16.	Gotigere
08.	Begur	17.	Hosa Road
09.	Thanisandra	18.	Dommasandra

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ABSTRACT BID NOTIFICATION
(Through KPP Portal only)

Following e-tenders are published in Karnataka Govt. e-Portal **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** under "GOODS" category on 08.08.2025, 09.08.2025, 11.08.2025, 13.08.2025 & 14.08.2025 as per RTPS requirements. **(1)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1926 for **Procurement of Gland Packing, Gaskets & Seal Rings for BM-1 of RTPS.** EMD: **Rs. 1,900/-.** **(2)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1927 for **Procurement of Safety Valve Spares for BM-1 of RTPS.** EMD: **Rs. 5,900/-.** **(3)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1928 for **Procurement of ESP Spares for Unit-1 to 4 of RTPS.** EMD: **Rs. 16,600/-.** **(4)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1930 for **Procurement of APH Spares for BM-1 of RTPS.** EMD: **Rs. 13,200/-.** **(5)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1932 for **Procurement of Ceramic Wool for BM-1 of RTPS.** EMD: **Rs. 1,600/-.** **(6)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1929 for **Procurement of HFO Decanting Hose for CAM-2 of RTPS.** EMD: **Rs. 3,500/-.** **(7*)** KPCL/2024-25/IND1360/Call-5 for **Procurement of Chamfering machines required for boilers of Units 5 to 8 of RTPS.** EMD: **Rs. 3,800/-.** **(8)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1931 for **Procurement of Coal & Oil Firing Equipments.** EMD: **Rs. 6,300/-.** **(9)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1933 for **Procurement of Gaskets for Coal & Oil Firing Equipments.** EMD: **Rs. 1,900/-.** **(10)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1945 for **Procurement of Welding Electrodes of annual rate contract basis for a period of one year & extendable by one more year on mutual consent with same price, terms & Conditions.** EMD: **Rs. 30,000/-.** **(11)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1944 for **Procurement of Lamps & Fittings on Annual Rate Contract basis for the period of one year and extendable to one more year with same rates, terms & conditions on mutual consent.** EMD: **Rs. 1,10,000/-.** **(12)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1935 for **Procurement of Digital Tempeature & Position Indicator and Silica Gel.** EMD: **Rs. 8,500/-.** **(13)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1943 for **Procurement of welding Consumables.** EMD: **Rs. 1,200/-.** **(14)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1922 for **Procurement of 150 LPM, Two Stage, Low Vacuum Dehydration Turbine Oil Purification Complete Unit with Heater.** EMD: **Rs. 53,000/-.** **(15)** KPCL/2025-26/IND1596/Call-3 for **Procurement of MS Angle, MS Channel, MS Plate etc.** EMD: **Rs. 4,500/-.** Last date & time for receipt of tenders: **(for Sl.No. 7, 14 & 15) 25.08.2025, 16.00 hrs. (for Sl.No.12) 28.08.2025, 16.00 hrs. (for Sl.No.1,2,3,4,5,6,8,9,10,11, & 13,) 29.08.2025, 16.00 hrs. Note:** *Sl.No. 7 is on Short-term tender basis. All relevant details can be had from the **Executive Engineer, (Purchase), RTPS, KPCL, Shaktinagar-584 170, Dist. Raichur, Cell: 9449597966, e-mail id: eeprtps@gmail.com**

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I, Mr. Gautam U Nambisan, No. S2, BEL Vista No, 206, 3rd Main, Defence Colony, Bengaluru-560038, I had taken the Original Sale Deed of Property bearing BBMP EPID no.2428135836, measuring to an extent of 1321 sft of SBA, Flat no 002 on the Ground Floor of the building known as NIDUS situated at Drafadila Layout, Srinivagalu Village, BBMP Ward no. 148 -Ejipura, Bangalore and during transit from the residence to Siddapura - Whitefield. I have lost the original of Sale Deed executed by Mr. James M Mathews in favour of Mr. Gautam U Nambisan and Mrs. Vinutha Kondur vide Sale Deed dated 17.04.2006 registered as document No.BAS-1-01225-2006-07 of Book I, stored in CD No. BASD235 registered in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore.
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FOR BID IDENTIFICATION NO.-CCEKC-02/2024-25

Letter no-1259 Date-18 /08/2025

b-11: Due to some unavoidable circumstances, the Bid Identification no-CCEKC-02/2024-25 for the work "S/R to NH-53 from Km 176.400km to 244.100km such as repair to distressed patches with Bituminous Concrete for the year 2024-25" **is hereby cancelled.**

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer
N.H. Circle, Keonjhar
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STATE BANK OF INDIA
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POSSESSION NOTICE Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

A/c No. HL 64088276539

Whereas, The Authorised Officer of **State Bank of India, Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, Bengaluru** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **10.02.2025** and its paper publication in "The New Indian Express" and "Samyuktha Karnataka" dated **28.02.2025** calling upon the **Borrowers : (1) Smt. Manjula** W/o. Sri. Shankar and **(2) Sri. Shankar** S/o. Kempaiah, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice **Rs. 35,16,633/-** (Rupees Thirty Five Lakh Sixteen Thousand Six Hundred Thirty Three Only) as on 09.02.2025 with future interest at contractual rate from 10.02.2025 together with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrowers/Mortgager having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers/Mortgager and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property of **Smt. Manjula W/o. Sri. Shankar** described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **19.08.2025.**

The Borrowers/Mortgager in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **State Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs. 37,45,557/-** (Rupees Thirty Seven Lakh Forty Five Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Seven Only) as on 17.08.2025 and further interest at contractual rate from 18.08.2025 with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc thereon.

The Borrower/Mortgager's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Please note that Possession Notice dated **14.02.2022** and its paper publication in "The New Indian Express" and "Kannadaprabha" dated 15.02.2022 under section 13(4) of SARFAESI Act, 2002 stands withdrawn.

Description Of Immovable Property : All that piece and parcel of property bearing Assessment No.77/334/22/1 4/5A situated at Nataraja Badavane, Ward No.1 of Magadi Town Municipality, Ramanagara District, measuring East to West: 30 feet and North to South: 40 feet, totally measuring 1200 Sq.ft, standing in the name of **Smt. Manjula W/o Sri. Shankar** and **bounded on : East by :** Road, **West by :** Property of Smt. Manjula W/o. Kemparaju, **North by :** Property of Lathanandeeshappa, **South by :** Property of Jagadeesh.

Date : 19.08.2025
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer & Chief Manager
State Bank of India,
Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, Bengaluru.

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E-TENDER NOTICE FOR ONLINE BIDDING
NIT No.: SCC/NK/NIC/OT(P)/RENO – RNC/107/RA-3272 DATED: 18 Aug 2025
SUB: RENOVATION WORK AT DEP RANCHI UNIT
Due Date of Tender Submission: 11 Sep 2025 (15:00 hrs)
Date of Pre-bid Meeting: 28 Aug 2025 (10:00 Hrs)

1. Details will be available in e-procurement portal **https://eprocuregrse.co.in**; Central Public Procurement Portal **https://eprocure.gov.in/cppp/** and GRSE website **https://grse.in/tender-published/**
2. Attending Pre-bid Meeting and site visit physically is Mandatory as per SOTR.
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The Karnataka Co-operative Association (Amendment) Bill, 2025, passed in the Assembly, was piloted by Law and Parliamentary Affairs Minister H K Patil in the Council on Wednesday, witnessing a long debate. The Opposition alleged that the bill was placed keeping in mind the upcoming zilla and taluk panchayat elections

Cabinet bunches five groups into three, distributes 17% quota

MODIFIED DAS PANEL REPORT TO ENSURE FAIRNESS, EQUALITY: CM

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah on Wednesday reaffirmed his cabinet decision to modify recommendations of the Justice HN Nagamohan Das Commission for internal reservation for Scheduled Castes (SC) by forming three groups -- A, B and C -- among 101 castes to share the 17 per cent quota.

The special cabinet meeting held on Tuesday accepted the Commission's report and took the decision, following which the CM made the statement in the Legislative Assembly on Wednesday. "We have decided to start the recruitment process immediately after the order on internal reservation is issued, and relax the age limit once," he said. A permanent Scheduled Castes Commission will be constituted to study the mobility of Scheduled Castes and submit a report on their status from time to time, he added.

The CM clarified that the cabinet decided to classify recommendations of the Justice Nagamohan Das Commission that formed five groups as A, B C, D and E into three categories -- A, B nd C -- and allot 6 per cent to Category A (Left-handed castes), 6 per cent to Category B (Right-handed castes) and 5 per cent to Category C (others).

"These changes have been made with a view to ensuring equality and fairness in providing opportunities in education, employment and other matters to all 101 SC castes. The Cabinet has kept in mind principles enshrined in the judgment of the Supreme Court," Siddaramaiah said. The Commission collected data of 1,05,09,871 people belonging to SCs, covering 93 per cent of their population. "The Cabinet has examined the report thoroughly and accepted the recommendations with some modifications. We have decided on 6 per cent internal reservation to communities identified as Left-handed castes," he said.

Noting that the Commission had included Right-handed castes like Paraya, Mogera etc. with Left-handed castes, the cabinet decided to include them with Right-handed castes and provide 6 per cent reservation. "We have distributed the 4,74,954 population of Adi Karnataka, Adi Andhra, Adi Dravida groups equally between Left-handed and Right-handed castes. Das recommended 4 per cent for Bhovi, Lambani, Koracha and Korama castes, and decided to classify 59 castes with a population of 5,22,099 as Category A, and recommended 1 per cent reservation. Due to technical reasons, we decided to combine these two groups and provide 5 per cent reservation (under C)," he justified.

He said cases against internal reservation activists will be withdrawn. "The government is committed to making changes in decisions taken now, if any... We believe this decision has succeeded in doing justice to the decades-long struggle on internal reservation," he claimed.

OPPOSITION STAGES WALKOUT

Opposition BJP and JDS legislators staged a walkout as Speaker UT Khader did not allow them to open a debate on the CM's statement. The Speaker said that since the CM had left for the Council, he cannot permit the opposition to speak on the issue, and suggested they debate on Thursday. When their demand did not yield results, they staged a walkout. BJP legislators claimed the previous Basavaraj Bommai regime had implemented internal reservation for the SC category.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah addresses the Council in Vidhana Soudha on Wednesday | EXPRESS

CM SHOULD APOLOGISE FOR OPPOSING SC QUOTA IN PAST, SAYS CHALAVADI

When former chief minister Basavaraj Bommai increased reservation for Scheduled Castes to 17 per cent, Siddaramaiah had opposed. "Now, on what basis has he announced a 17-per cent SC reservation? He must apologise to the people of Karnataka," demanded Leader of Opposition in the Council Chalavadi Narayanswamy. He was speaking in the Council after Chief Minister Siddaramaiah announced the reservation on Wednesday. Siddaramaiah replied that they have announced the reservation based on the Justice HN Nagamohan Das Commission's report on internal reservation for SCs, and questioned why he needed to apologise. Congress members accused the Opposition of politicising the issue. Opposition members demanded that Council Chairman Basavaraj Horatti discuss the cabinet decision, but their pleas were declined.

₹13,433cr SCP/TSP funds diverted to guarantee schemes, says minister

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

RESPONDING to Opposition members' allegations on funds allotted to SCs, STs being diverted towards guarantee schemes, Social Welfare Minister **HC Mahadevappa** said Rs 13,433 crore reserved for Scheduled Castes Sub-Plan and Tribal Sub-Plan (SCP and TSP) was diverted to guarantee schemes.

However, opposition members claimed this is injustice to the community. BJP MLA Chandrappa, who raised the issue, said Rs 42,000crore has been allotted to SC and ST in the budget, but so far, only Rs 7,000 crore is released, and the remaining amount has been diverted to other departments. Chandrappa alleged that in his constituency, over 45,000 applications have been received from SC/ST beneficiaries to dig borewells, but the State government has approved it for only one beneficiary. "If you are diverting funds, we will not get funds for other schemes," he said.

Karkala MLA V Sunil Kumar said the government had accepted that Rs 13,400 crore from SCP/TSP funds had been used for guarantee schemes in the year 2025-26. "The SCP/TSP Act has been misused. According to this Act, SCP/TSP funds cannot be used for general schemes. How did you use it for general (guarantee) schemes. You said Rs 1,500 crore has been used for the Shakthi scheme, how do you differentiate among people travelling by bus as SC/ST?" he questioned.

Minister Mahadevappa said the government has not diverted SCP/TSP funds for non SC/ST beneficiaries. "I have directed officials to make a list of beneficiaries who got guarantee scheme benefits from these funds. If this amount has been used for non SC/ST beneficiaries, action will be taken against those concerned," Mahadevappa said.

The minister said under the SCP/TSP Act, 24.1 per cent of the total budget is allotted for the community. Through SCP/TSP schemes, funds are given to 34 government departments to benefit SCs and STs. The State government has made provision to give these funds to SC/ST communities through irrigation, agriculture, rural development and other departments through schemes. In the coming days, they could go in for single-window system through which funds will be utilised for these community members. The funds will be used only for these communities.

Only tax terrorism, no devpt: Ashoka

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

LEADER of Opposition R Ashoka on Wednesday slammed the state government for increasing taxes and introducing more taxes as the government does not have funds to take up development work. He said the government is indulging in "tax terrorism".

Initiating the discussion, Ashoka pointed out that they are not able to see any development work in the past two-and-half years since the Congress government came to power in Karnataka. It's not just opposition party members who are slamming the state government for not getting grants, even Congress MLAs and ministers have raised the issue and are openly making statements against their own government.

Leader of Opposition in the Assembly R Ashoka and BJP MLA Dr CN Ashwath Narayan speak in the House at Vidhana Soudha on Wednesday | EXPRESS

Ashoka said milk price has been increased twice, petrol price twice, garbage cess has doubled, the price of liquor, power and many essentials has also increased. The government has become bankrupt and doesn't have funds even to repair roads. "There are more than 1,000 potholes only on roads connecting in and around Vidhana Soudha. They claimed they will make Brand Bengaluru, but it has become bad Bengaluru," he said.

On the tunnel road, Ashoka said Deputy CM DK Shivakumar had said Rs 17,000crore would be spent on the project. This will become like another Yettinahole project and may require Rs 1 lakh crore. "At present, for a stretch of 16.5km, you want to fix toll of Rs 700, and if the cost of the tunnel road increases, you will increase the toll fee. Who will use it, it will be of no use," he said.

EXPRESS READ

Govt to strengthen taluk hospitals: Dinesh

BENGALURU: The Council on Wednesday passed the Karnataka State Civil Service (Regulation of Transfer of Medical Officers and Other Staff) (Amendment) Bill 2025. Health and Family Welfare Minister Dinesh Gundu Rao, while welcoming the support of JDS and BJP members for the Karnataka State Civil Service (Regulation of Transfer of Medical Officers and Other Staff) (Amendment) Bill 2025, said the transfers will be done without any pressure. The process must only be through counseling, the minister said. He added that in two months, two female doctors, two pediatricians and two anaesthetists will be deployed in all taluk hospitals. He was responding to the questions of members about doctors being unavailable in some hospitals. He said that for the administration section, before appointing the District Health Officer, the department will consider the experience as Taluk Health Officer or District Program Officer.

Cooperative bill loses Council test

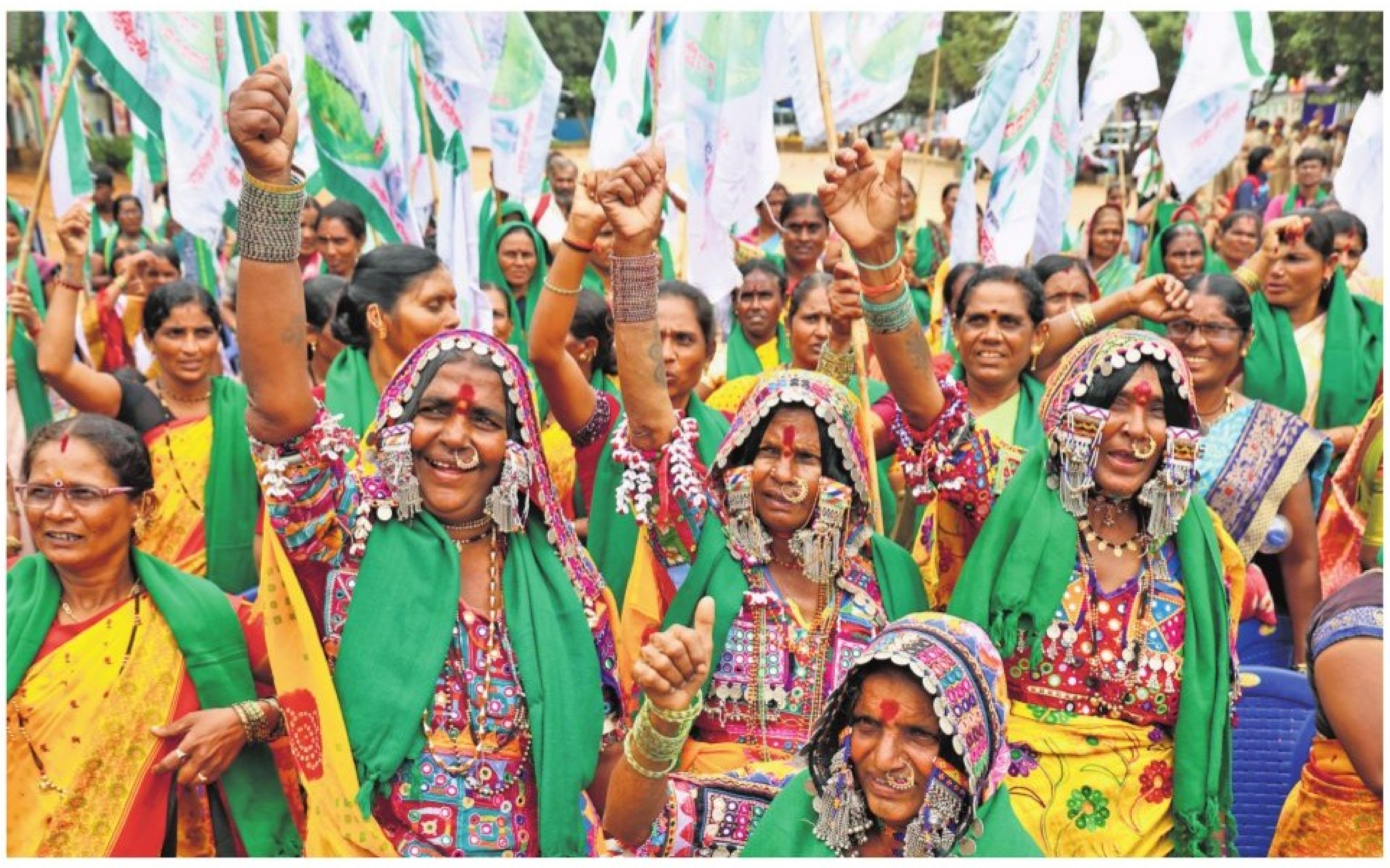
ENS @ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka Souharda Sahakari (Amendment) Bill 2025, which was approved in the Assembly earlier, was defeated in the Council on Wednesday. While 23 members supported the bill, 26 MLCs from the BJP-JDS combine opposed it, resulting in its defeat by three votes.

The bill proposed that the members of the Souharda Cooperative Banks had to submit their family asset details to the government annually, and the audit of accounts had to be done only by government-appointed auditors.

Law Minister HK Patil, after introducing the bill, said that keeping a 20% deposit in Apex Bank or DCC banks will help maintain the financial condition of Souharda Cooperative Societies, and the Karnataka Souharda Cooperative Amendment Bill 2025 has been brought to strengthen co-operative societies through some changes. As per the bill, if deposits are made by members of Souharda Bank in other scheduled banks, prior permission should be obtained from registrars.

BJP-JDS members accused the government of trying to strangle the cooperative sector and demanded that these provisions be dropped.



FROM THE GRASSROOTS

Farmer activists raise slogans, demanding that the state government launch an investigation into alleged graft in Atal Bhu Jal Yojana and other issues affecting cultivators, during a protest in Bengaluru on Wednesday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

IN THE HOUSE

Tailors, weavers availed of construction workers' benefits: CAG

BENGALURU: The CAG report on welfare of building and construction workers tabled in the Assembly, reveals that ineligible workers like tailors, clerks, weavers and people from other professions were registered as construction workers and availed the benefits. According to the CAG, data from Seva Sindhu portal, comprising over 42.5 lakh registered beneficiaries, was inadequately validated before being entered into the database.

Orphans may get special resevation in higher education, says Laxmi

BENGALURU: Women and Child Welfare Minister Laxmi Hebbalkar on Wednesday said they will consider providing special reservation in higher eduction for orphaned children residing in registered children homes (orphanages). Mudigere MLA Nayana Mottamma raised the issue that over 17,000 children residing in government, aided and private orphanages in Karnataka still find it difficult in getting documents without caste certificates.

Conserving lakes govt's priority, says Boseraju

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

IRRIGATION Minister on Wednesday NS Boseraju expressed that the conservation of lakes is the priority of the state government.

Responding to a debate in the Council on the Karnataka Tank Conservation and Development Authority (KTDCA) Amendment Bill, 2025, which proposes reducing the buffer zone around lakes, the minister said there are 41,849 lakes in the state. The survey work of 35,985 of them has been completed, and the survey of 5,687 lakes is pending. Out of the 13,644 encroached lakes, encroachment has been cleared from 7,987 lakes, while encroachment of 5,687 lakes needs to be cleared. He explained that DCs hold meetings at the district level on a monthly basis and expedite the clearance work.

In the present situation, as per the NGT order, there is no 30-metre buffer zone in Bengaluru's lakes. The purpose of the amendment bill is to protect the water bodies and develop infrastructure. Therefore, he requested that the bill be passed.

Opposing the amendment, Leader of the Opposition in the Council Chalavadi Narayanaswamy said that due to the amendment to the Lake Conservation Act, the size of the buffer zone will reduce, irreversibly damaging the lake habitat. With lakes and drains being encroached, rains in Bengaluru lead to roads and homes being flooded. It must be admitted that all governments have failed in the matter of clearing Rajakaluves, he said.

The report given by AT Ramaswamy, Laxman Rao, Yellappa Reddy, and Koliwada committee regarding lake protection needs to be studied. "... therefore, it should be given to the Joint House Committee," he demanded.

BJP member CT Ravi raised doubts whether there is the real estate lobby at play behind the action of reducing the lake buffer zone. He also said the matter should be discussed in the Joint House Committee.

Not even one foot is given to pvt people, says minister

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THE NGT was established in 2010, as per the National Green Tribunal Act, and it is a specialised quasi-judicial body equipped with expertise solely for the purpose of adjudicating environmental cases in the country.

As per information available on its website, the Tribunal's orders are enforceable as the powers vested are the same as in a civil court under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908. The NGT's decisions are binding on all parties involved, and those decisions can be challenged before the Supreme Court.

The Karnataka Tank Conservation and Development Authority (KTDCA) Amendment Bill 2025 was passed in the Assembly on Tuesday. In the Legislative Council, it was passed despite opposition from BJP-JDS MLCs, who staged a walkout.

Boseraju said the buffer zone of the lakes in the state was fixed at 30 metres.

"Not even one foot is given to private people," he informed the Council.

Lingayats to meet ahead of state's socio-educational survey

BANSY KALAPPA @ Bengaluru

AS Karnataka prepares for a fresh socio-educational survey by the Backward Classes Commission in the coming months, Lingayat leaders have begun mobilising to ensure accurate representation for their community during the data collection process.

On Friday, Akhila Bharatha Veerashaiva Lingayat Mahasabha national president and senior Congress MLA **Shamanur Shivashankarappa** have convened a preliminary meeting involving all Lingayat ministers and legislators. The closed-door meeting, to be held at a hotel near Vidhana Soudha, is scheduled for post the ongoing legislative session to ensure participation before lawmakers return to their constituencies.

Explaining the rationale behind the gathering, Mahasabha secretary Renuka Prasanna told *TNIE*: "We have held discussions in the past, but with the next round of the socio-educational survey expected to begin in September or October, it is important that the community presents a united front. This meeting is to ensure that there are no discrepancies or undercounting in the upcoming exercise."

The focus, according to Prasanna, is on streamlining the way community members identify themselves in the survey. "There were issues during the last round where people identified themselves only by subcaste or used varied nomenclature, such as Lingavantha, Lingadhara, or different combinations of Veerashaiva and Lingayat. This led to confusion and inconsistent data. We are now advising everyone to clearly mention their religion as Veerashaiva-Lingayat, caste as either Lingayat or Veerashaiva — as applicable — and then their sub-caste, such as Panchamasali, Nonaba, Banajiga, and Sadar.

Mahasabha records indicate that the Lingayat community is well-represented in the state legislature, with seven ministers, 55 MLAs, and 16 MLCs, including Council Chairman Basavaraj Horatti. They are present in all parties — Congress, BJP and JDS.

The Lingayats are not alone in preparing for the upcoming survey. Members of the Vokkaliga community, another dominant group in the state, have also begun holding state and district-level awareness programmes. Community leaders have urged their members to report their identity in a uniform manner, irrespective of sub-caste affiliations.

Sources suggest that representatives from both communities have met in the past to discuss a coordinated approach and may do so again if needed.

Among the concerns raised by the Mahasabha is the risk of data fragmentation. "Earlier, about 108 sub-castes were recorded, while we officially recognise 88," Prasanna noted, adding, "We aim to correct this discrepancy through awareness and coordination."

ASSEMBLY SEES NOISY SCENES OVER CURBS ON LOUDSPEAKERS DURING FESTIVALS

BENGALURU: The Assembly witnessed noisy scenes on Wednesday with ruling and opposition members blaming each other over restrictions on use of loudspeakers during functions held as part of Ganesha Chaturthi and other festivals. Raising the matter during Zero Hour, BJP's Vedavyas Kamath alleged that the police harassed people by imposing restrictions on celebration of festivals. In Dakshina Kannada, people organise Kolas, Yakshaganas and other rituals and celebrate festivals such as Ganesha Chaturthi and Krishna Janmashtami. When functions were held as part of Janmashtami a few days ago, police seized loudspeakers and registered cases against those who provided them to the organisers, he said. Leader of Opposition R Ashoka said the police had "arrested" a Ganesha idol and took it to their station in Mandya. Karkala MLA V Sunil Kumar said the education department had issued a circular to government schools prohibiting non-academic activities on their premises. In villages, Ganesha idols are usually kept on the premises of government schools during the festival. Now, block education officers are denying permission to keep Ganesha idols on the premises of government schools stating that it is a non-academic activity. This should be stopped, he added. **ENS**

A 4-month-old girl died while her mother was breastfeeding her on Tuesday in Kanniyakumari. Police said while the mother was breastfeeding her infant, the milk entered her windpipe and the baby fainted. Though the child was immediately rushed to the Kanniyakumari government hospital, she was declared dead on arrival

KARNATAKA LAGS IN PMAY-G WITH 30% HOUSES COMPLETED

Low unit cost sanctioned insufficient for labour costs; lack of land reasons for delay

VINCENT D'SOUZA @Mangaluru

ONE of the slowest states in completing rural housing under the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Gramin (PMAY-G), Karnataka has proved to be a real laggard in the field. This was highlighted by several Members of Parliament in the ongoing monsoon session of Parliament.

According to queries by multiple MPs, the primary reason cited is the low unit cost sanctioned for house construction, which they argue is insufficient to meet current material and labour costs. According to sources, the lack of available land is also cited as one of the major reasons behind the poor performance.

According to data shared by the Ministry of Rural Development in response to a Lok Sabha query, Karnataka was allocated 9.44 lakh houses under PMAY-G since its launch in April 2016. However, as of August 13, 2025, only 5.25 lakh houses have been sanctioned, and a mere 1.58 lakh completed. This reflects a completion rate of just 30.28%, significantly lower than the national average of 73.5%.

Other southern states have shown relatively better performance. Tamil Nadu where free land is provided to landless labourers has completed around 6.48 lakh houses out of 7.42 lakh sanctioned, achieving a completion rate of approximately 87.3%. Andhra Pradesh, though allocated fewer houses, has a completion rate of about 36% with 89,061 homes built out of 2.46 lakh sanctioned. Kerala, on the other hand, has lagged significantly with just 34,388 houses completed out of 76,278 sanctioned, reflecting a rate of around 45%.

The MPs expressed concern that the scheme's financial support - currently around Rs 1.2 lakh per unit in plain areas does not reflect the real cost of construction in today's economy. They pointed out that rising prices of building materials, transportation, among others have made it nearly impossible for rural beneficiaries to build livable homes within the current outlay.

Despite these concerns, the Ministry of Rural Development clarified in its official response that there is no proposal under consideration to increase the unit cost of houses under PMAY-G. The government maintains that the scheme functions through convergence with other rural welfare initiatives such as the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS), which offers additional unskilled labour, and Swachh Bharat Mission-Gramin for toilet construction.

REFRESHING BATH

Mahouts and kavadis give bath to Dasara howdah elephant Abhimanyu at Mysuru Palace on Wednesday | UDAYASHANKAR S

Kerala reports fresh case of amoebic brain fever

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Kozhikode

THE state has reported a fresh case of amoebic meningoencephalitis, commonly called amoebic brain fever, raising serious public health concerns. An 11-year-old girl from Chenakkalangadi, Malappuram, has been diagnosed with the rare and often fatal disease. She is undergoing treatment at Kozhikode Medical College Hospital, where her condition is critical.

The child was admitted on Tuesday after developing fever and related symptoms. Laboratory tests confirmed the presence of the disease-causing amoeba. Health officials have launched an urgent investigation into the source of infection, believed to be linked to contaminated water.

Following the confirmation, authorities have prohibited entry into a public pond near the girl's residence, suspected as a potential source. Local bodies have been directed to chlorinate nearby water sources as a precaution.

This brings the total number of patients currently under treatment for amoebic brain fever at Kozhikode Medical College Hospital to six, including a three-month-old infant from Omassery, who remains in critical condition on ventilator support.

The outbreak has already claimed lives in the state. Recently, Anaya, a fourth-grade student from Thamarassery, succumbed to the infection, prompting extensive investigations around her residence. Her seven-year-old brother, who developed fever symptoms, tested negative but remains under observation. A 49-year-old man from Annassery is also hospitalised without significant improvement.

Amoebic brain fever is caused by the free-living amoeba Naegleria fowleri, which thrives in warm, stagnant freshwater such as ponds and lakes. Infection occurs when contaminated water enters the nose, allowing the amoeba to reach the brain. Though rare, the disease is often fatal, with very low survival rates.

"Once the infection sets in, the chances of survival are minimal. Avoiding exposure to unsafe water is the best protection," said a senior doctor at Kozhikode Medical College Hospital.

As of now, the 11-year-old girl continues to receive intensive care, as Kerala confronts another alarming case of this deadly infection.

LAPSES IN TAX ADMINISTRATION, K'TAKA FACES REVENUE LOSSES OF ₹1,260 CR: CAG

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG) report on Karnataka's revenues for the period ended March 2023 revealed lapses in tax administration, regulatory enforcement, and compliance monitoring across key revenue-generating departments in the state, resulting in revenue losses amounting to Rs 1,260.41 crore. The report was presented in the Assembly on Tuesday.

The lapses in Input Tax Credit (ITC) disbursal, under the commercial tax department, for GST alone caused a loss of Rs 1,143.58 crore, it pointed out, attributing the loss to the deviations from the provisions of the GST Act, such as mismatch of ITC, availing ITC in cases where the supplier has not paid tax or issued invoices after cancellation and incorrect discharge of tax liability in 208 cases.

None of the 10 selected Local Goods and Services Tax Offices (LGSTOs) had effective systems to monitor return filing or recover tax from non-filers/late filers. In 179 out of 200 test-checked cases across 10 LGSTOs, GSTR-10 (final return) was not filed. Thirty-two out of the 180 test-checked taxpayers had filed GSTR-1 for 146 tax periods, but did not file GSTR-3B, resulting in wrongful ITC claims without tax payment, it explained.

Under subject specific compliance audit on e-way bills system under GST, Rs 1.92 crore was not paid by taxpayers, who generated e-way bills, post cancellation of registration, and tax of Rs 4.42 crore was not paid by non-filers who generated e-way bills. Taxes and penalties amounting to Rs 21.42 crore were not debited from electronic cash ledgers, it added.

"The department should strictly follow GST rules by ensuring that tax payments and penalties are linked to the date of debiting from the electronic cash ledger, following the proper e-challan generation process, and rectifying situations where funds from the ledger were incorrectly used for other GST liabilities to comply with regulations. GST provisions should be complied strictly by the department at the time of auctioning of goods," the CAG recommended.

FOR DURABILITY

Hasiru Dala launches open source PPE kit for waste workers

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

HASIRU Dala (Green Force), a social impact organisation working with waste pickers, launched 'PPE for Waste Workers – Open Source Designs' on Wednesday. The initiative aims to provide freely accessible protective gear designs tailored for informal waste workers across India.

According to Hasiru Dala, the Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) kit has been designed to ensure durability, comfort, and usability. It includes gloves, boots, aprons, and masks suited for India's working conditions. Unlike standard uniforms or commercially available PPE, these designs have been created in consultation with waste workers to address issues such as ill-fitting gear, lack of durability, and discomfort during long hours of work.

"For far too long, waste workers have kept our cities clean without being seen or protected. This open-source PPE kit is our way of saying: safety belongs to everyone," said Cofounder and Executive Director, Hasiru Dala, Nalini Shekar.

During the event, a live demonstration showcased how the gear adapts to various body types and work conditions, including handling wet waste and operating in landfills. Waste workers shared personal experiences of reduced injuries while sorting waste with the new PPE.

The initiative has been described as the first-of-its-kind, open-source safety design project for waste workers in India. Hasiru Dala stated that the designs will be made publicly available to NGOs, municipal bodies, and communities, enabling wider adoption. The event was inaugurated by H Bhimesh, Deputy General Manager, BSWML, alongside representatives of waste workers.

DHARMASTHALA CASE

SIT to probe medical student's disappearance

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mangaluru

THE case involving the mysterious disappearance of medical student Ananya Bhat from the Dharmasthala Temple premises in 2003 has been handed over to the SIT probing the alleged mass burial case. Ananya's mother had filed a complaint at the Dharmasthala Police Station on July 15, 2025, urging the authorities to reinvestigate, alleging that justice had been long denied.

On August 19, Karnataka DG & IGP issued an official order transferring the case to the SIT for a comprehensive probe.

Meanwhile, Pronab Mohanty, Director General of Police (Internal Security Division) and head of the SIT, visited Belthangady on Wednesday to review the ongoing investigation. Sources said the senior officer examined documents related to the case and assessed the progress made so far.

Action under forest laws if burials in woods proved: Min

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

KARNATAKA Forest, Environment and Ecology Minister Eshwar B Khandre said action will be taken if SIT probing the Dharmasthala case confirms that bodies were buried inside forests after illegally trespassing into them. He said action would be initiated as per the Forest Conservation Act and other applicable rules. On allegations that bodies were cremated inside forest areas, he said the SIT's investigation will establish the facts.

Khandre added that no non-forest activities are permitted inside forest areas. Meanwhile, earlier in the day, Khandre launched the e-commerce platform of the Karnataka State Forest Industries Corporation, which has been manufacturing furniture since 1973.

1,180 healthcare facilities operating without KSPCB authorisation: CAG report

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THE CAG report also took stock of the condition and method of operation of thermal power plants. It stated that Ballari and Raichur Thermal Power Plants were not adhering to stipulated water compliance norms and though show-cause notices were issued, no action was taken.

The CAG pointed out that 1,180 of 15,802 healthcare facilities were operating without KSPCB authorisation and penalty of Rs 51.68 crore was not levied on them. It noted that 2,189 healthcare facilities had not entered into agreements with common bio-medical waste treatment facilities, and environmental clearance of Rs 95.88 crore was to be levied.

No plan, no enforcement

Pointing to Water and Air Acts, CAG noted that KSPCB neither drafted any action plan to address concerns nor took any enforcement action on monitoring solid waste management by urban local bodies (ULBs).

"Against the 12,024 TPD (tonnes per day) waste generated from 2018 to 2023, only 43 per cent is treated and processed. The remaining 55 per cent (6,623 TPD per annum) is being dumped in open areas, dump sites or already exhausted legacy waste sites. Also of the 121 ULBs, 43 were yet to be identified dump sites for creating waste processing facilities," CAG noted.

While KSPCB replied that 6,639 TPD was being treated and there was a gap of 5,501 TPD, it admitted that this quantity was very high.

The CAG also pointed to the KSPCB's deficiencies in the implementation of the National Clean Air Programme. It noted that KSPCB had not maintained air monitoring units, and also not collected utilisation certificates from various corporations, and was unable to enforce action against defaulting industries due to which Air Quality Index levels were not reached.

PM dials Patnaik to check on his health, rumours rife on V-P poll

BIJAY CHAKI @ Bhubaneswar

PRIME Minister Narendra Modi on Wednesday spoke to former chief minister and BJD president Naveen Patnaik and enquired about the latter's health.

The PM wished him a speedy recovery and suggested adequate rest. He also expressed his desire to meet Naveen at New Delhi. Naveen was hospitalised after he fell ill due to dehydration.

The PM's call to the BJD president and his desire to meet him in New Delhi has assumed significance in view of the ensuing vice-presidential election scheduled on September 9. Earlier on Monday, Defence Minister Rajnath Singh too had called Naveen and sought the support of BJD for the NDA candidate CP Radhakrishnan.

Meanwhile, Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge too called Naveen and sought support for the INDIA bloc candidate Sudershan Reddy.

Given its position as the principal opposition in the state, the BJD's stand in the V-P election would be closely watched, with Congress assuming an aggressive position against the BJP government.

UNION BANK OF INDIA ADDRESSES CUSTOMER GRIEVANCES

Bengaluru: Union Bank of India organised a town hall meeting for customer interaction and engagement at its zonal office on Monday. Kalyan Varma, zonal head, Bengaluru, inaugurated the programme, where Customers were invited to share their grievances, which were heard and addressed. For effective resolution of complaints, a separate session was also conducted. Manoj Sharma, DGM and head of the customer service excellence cell, Mumbai, along with other senior officials of the bank, were present.

EXPRESS READ

UGCET/NEET: 2nd round counselling begins

Bengaluru: The second round of counselling for medical, engineering, and other professional courses commenced on Wednesday. Candidates can modify or remove their preferences/options starting Thursday, and have until August 25 to make changes, said Karnataka Examination Authority Executive Director H Prasanna. The provisional seat allotment results will be announced on August 29. The seat matrix for Ayurvedic courses has also been released, allowing eligible candidates to submit their preferences. Candidates not allotted a seat earlier must log in, confirm their interest by clicking the "I Agree" button, and update their options. After preference modification, mock results will be published, likely reflecting the final allotment. Those securing seats under the All-India Quota can opt out without penalty, allowing more opportunities for state candidates.

Godavari delta on high alert amid heavy inflows

Rajamahendravaram/Amalapuram: Godavari delta and Polavaram backwater regions have been placed on high alert as heavy inflows into the river Godavari threaten inundation in low-lying areas of Eluru, ASR, Konaseema, and East and West Godavari districts. The second warning is likely to be issued at Bhadrachalam, where water level touched 48 feet, following the first warning issued at 8 am when it reached 43 feet. A second warning is triggered if the level rises to 48 feet. Eluru District Collector Vetri Selvi directed residents of low-lying areas in Velerupadu and Kukkunuru to evacuate immediately and shift to rehabilitation camps. SP K Pratap Siva Kishore accompanied the Collector on a whirlwind tour of flood-prone areas including Peddawagu, Yedduwagu, Yadapalli, Katkuru, Bollapalli, and Chittamreddypalem, urging people to move to relief centres.

Tamil Nadu to carry out its first inter state migrant workers survey

NIRUPAMA VISWANATHAN @ Chennai

AMID concerns raised by political parties that large numbers of migrant workers could get added to Tamil Nadu's electoral rolls, the state's labour department is set to conduct a survey of interstate migrant workers for the first time to get a realistic picture of their population in TN.

The objective is to understand migration patterns, nature of work, health and living conditions. Though termed a survey, the exercise is aiming at 100% enumeration of every migrant worker with a rough target of finishing the exercise within six months.

Earlier this month, numerous parties, including the ruling DMK and its allies, based on a media report, expressed fears that over 6.5 lakh migrant workers from Bihar could get included in TN's rolls, following the Special Intensive Revision (SIR) exercise in Bihar. The SIR reportedly removed 65 lakh voters, including those who had migrated permanently to other states.

The only data available at the moment is the number of people registered in the labour department's Interstate Migrant (ISM) Workers portal. This is only 12.17 lakh now, of which unorganised construction workers account for merely around 3,000. A majority of the registrations made with the portal are those from the organised sectors, based on information collected primarily through the department's factory inspectors. The survey will have interviewers in each district recording all interstate workers, classifying them under two broad categories — construction workers, including those working in mines, quarries, etc, and those employed in other sectors such as textiles, hospitality, manufacturing, shops and other establishments.

One field coordinator will be deputed per district to coordinate with the interviewers and a state-level coordinator will oversee the process from the headquarters.

'Dispute between victim, accused led to murder'

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SOURCES in the police department said the victim and Chethan were in love. The police suspect that there were disagreements between the two and it might have led to the murder. On Wednesday, the body of the victim was handed over to the family after postmortem. The protesters demanded the arrest of the accused and blocked roads in various parts of Chitradurga city.

Meanwhile, Planning and Statistics Minister D Sudhakar condemned the murder. The minister handed over a compensation cheque of Rs 5 lakh to the victim's family, including Rs 2.50 lakh from the district administration and Rs 2.50 lakh by himself.

KARNATAKA INDUSTRIAL AREAS DEVELOPMENT BOARD

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
49, East Wing , 4th & 5th Floor, Khanija Bhavan, Race Course Road,
Bengaluru – 560 001. Phone No. 080-22265383. Website: www.kiadb.in

No. IADB/ENGG/ETND-EP-11/525/2025-26 Date:20.08.2025

SHORT TERM NOTICE INVITING TENDER

(Through GOK Karnataka Public Procurement Portal Only)

Tender under two cover system are invited as per the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 1999 and Rules 2000 through electronic procurement from eligible (Class-II & above Electrical) Contractor registered in KCEI who have got adequate financial resources & sufficient past experience for the following work as per the schedule given below:

Name of the work: Re-Conditioning, Operation and Annual Maintenance of Streetlights at Kapnoor 1st, 2nd & 3rd Phase Industrial Area, Kalaburgi District (Reserved for SC) **(2nd Call).**

The last date and time of receipt of tender is : **06.09.2025 upto 04:00 pm.**

Applicants May Download Bidding Documents from the E-Procurement Portal **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-
Chief Engineer - 2

DIPR/CP/JA/2394/2025-26

ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ–ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ

ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರ ಕಛೇರಿ, ಧಾರವಾಡ
ಫೋ: (0836)2213838 Email: eedharwad@gmail.com

ನಂ.ಎಚ್.ಡಿಎಂಸಿ/66/07/02/2025–26 ದಿನಾಂಕ:– 20–08–2025

ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸನ್ 2024–25 ಹಾಗೂ 2025–26ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ವಾರ್ಡ ಅನುದಾನ, 2025–26ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ 15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಅನುದಾನದಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮಂಜೂರಾದ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಆಧ್ಯಾದೇಶ 1999–2000ರ ನಿಯಮದನ್ವಯ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, PWD ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತರಾದ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು.

ವಾರ್ಡ ಸದಸ್ಯರ ಅನುದಾನ: **(1)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 40551/10.00 ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(2)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42657/48.97ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(3)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 43677/25.50ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(4)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 43691/25.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(5)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 40671/1.0.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(6)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 40807/10.50ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(7)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42655/3.40 ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(8)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42417/15.50 ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(9)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42414/35.42ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(10)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42411/2.68 ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(11)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 32632/46.25ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(12)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 44284/25.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(13)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 47142/49.50ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(14)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 46728/4.50ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(15)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 47540/10.60ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(16)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 46523/7.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿ **(17)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 47563/10.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪ್ರವರ್ಗ 2ಎ **(18)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 47218/25.35ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿ

ಮಲೆನಾಡು ಪ್ರದೇಶಾಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಅನುದಾನ (19) ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 47557 / 10.00 ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(20)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 47560/10.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(21)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 47553/50.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ

15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಅನುದಾನ (22) ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 30806/490.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(23)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42587/50.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(24)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42586/60.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ

ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನ (25) ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 46527/3.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(26)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 46525/3.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(27)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 47537/7.55ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(28)** DMA/2024/-25/ PREQUAL_TENDER_NUMBER_104/ 161.50ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ.

ಒಟ್ಟು 27 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.1255.22 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಿಗೆ ಟೆಂಡರಗಳನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಬೇಕಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು ಧಾರವಾಡ ಕಚೇರಿಯ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 0836–2213838 ರಿಂದ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು ಮತ್ತು ಅಂತರ್ ಜಾಲದ ಮೂಲಕ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ವಿಳಾಸ http://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ಸದರಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಸದರಿ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತ್ರ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಾಖಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರಕಾರ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಅ.ನಂ. 1 ರಿಂದ 28 ರವರೆಗೆ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 21/08/2025** ರಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

ಈ ಮೇಲಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ (1 ರಿಂದ 21) (1) ಟೆಂಡರ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10/09/2025** ಸಂಜೆ **04.00** ಗಂಟೆ (2) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 11/09/2025** ಸಂಜೆ **04.30** ಗಂಟೆ

ಈ ಮೇಲಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ (22 ಕ್ಕೆ) (1) ಟೆಂಡರ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 25/09/2025** ಸಂಜೆ **04.00** ಗಂಟೆ (2) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 26/09/2025** ಸಂಜೆ **4.30** ಗಂಟೆ (3) ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 06/10/2025** ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ **10.30** ಗಂಟೆ

ಈ ಮೇಲಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ (23 ರಿಂದ 28 ಕ್ಕೆ) (1) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30/08/2025** ಸಂಜೆ **04.00** ಗಂಟೆ (2) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 01/09/2025** ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ **10.30** ಗಂಟೆ

ಸಹಿ/– ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು
ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ–ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ, ಧಾರವಾಡ.

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಇ/ಧಾರವಾಡ/571/ದೇಶಪಾಂಡೆಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ/2025–26

AXIS BANK

Plot No. 41, Seshadri Road,
Anand Rao Circle, Bangalore-560009

POSSESSION NOTICE

See Rule - 8(1)
(For Immovable Property)

Whereas, undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Axis Bank Ltd.,** under The Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 had issued a Demand Notices calling upon the Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors to repay the amount mentioned In the notice within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors having failed to repay the amount, Notice is hereby given to the Borrowers / Guarantor / Mortgagors and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 6 & 8 of the said Rules on below mentioned dates.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrowers / Mortgagors / Guarantors in particular and the Public in General are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charges of the **Axis Bank Ltd.,** for an amount interest and Other Charges mentioned below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : (1) Mr. Subhendu Ghosh S/o.Mr. Nakul Chandra Ghosh, **(2) Mr. Suchismita Ghosh W/o** Mr. Subhendu Ghosh, **Both are residing at:** H.No. 204, Jay Villa, Muneshwara Temple Street, Kodihalli Bangalore, Karnataka-560008. **Also at:** H.No.17, Vidhyasagar Path Ulyan Kadma, Jharkhand-831005. **Also at:** Flat No-D-201, 2nd Floor, Sy No-53/11, Kasavanahalli Village, Varthur Hobli Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore-560034.

Loan A/c No : PH0090100214393

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs. 8,90,868/- (Rupees Eight Lakhs Ninety Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight Only) being the amount due as on **30.04.2025** together with further unapplied interest at contractual rate of interest.

Demand Notice Dated : 30.04.2025 **Possession Notice Dated : 19.08.2025**

Description of the property belongs to Mr. Subhendu Ghosh

SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of residentially converted lands bearing Survey No. 53/1 and 54, admeasuring 9 acres, situated at Kasavanahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East (formerly South) Taluk duly converted for non-agricultural/residential purposes vide Official Memorandum No.B.DIS.ALN.SR. (S) 270/91-92 dated. 20.04.1992 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner and bounded on the: East by : Remaining Portion Of Sy No 53/1 & 54, West by : Property of Military, North by : Road, and South by : Property of Military.

SCHEDULE - 'B' PROPERTY: A two bedroom apartment bearing No. D 201, Second Floor, Block No. D of the Residential Apartment Complex known as "EVERGREENS" measuring 927 Sq. ft. super built-up area together with proportionate share in common areas, passages, lobbies, staircases and other areas of common use and exclusive right to use the 1 no. of covered car park along with 371 sq.ft. of undivided share, right, title and interest in all that piece and parcel of the Property described in the Schedule 'A' hereinabove.

For any clarification, please contact Mr. Prem Mobile No. 91 8880041234.

2. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : (1) Mr. Tanvir Singh S/o. Mr. Parminder Singh, No.131,1st Floor, 7th Main Road, Karnataka Income Tax, HBCS Layout, Bangalore-560040. **Also at:** H.No.81 Tower Enclave Phase 3, Nakodar Road wadala Chowk, Jalandhar, Punjab-144001. **Also at:** Flat No 11 Fortuna 1kon 1st Floor , Sahakar Nagar Bangalore Bangalore-560092. **(2) Mrs. Priyanka Bansal** W/o.Mr.Tanvir Singh, Quarter No.01, Building No.1, AAI, Residential Colony Imphal Airpoort PO Tulihal Airport, Imphal, Manipur-795140. **Also at:** Flat No 11 Fortuna 1kon 1st Floor, Sahakar Nagar Bangalore Bangalore-560092.

Loan A/c No : PHR056101399306

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs. 29,81,262/- (Rupees Twenty Nine Lakhs Eighty One Thousand Two hundred and Sixty Two Only) being the amount due as on **30.04.2025** together with further unapplied interest at contractual rate of interest.

Demand Notice Dated : 30.04.2025 **Possession Notice Dated : 19.08.2025**

Description of the property belongs to Mr. Tanvir Singh & Mrs. Priyanka Bansal

SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of adjacent portions of immovable property bearing Sy. No. 42/1B, totally measuring an extent of 24 Guntas situated in Byatarayanapura village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, converted vide Order of special Deputy Commissioner dated 16/08/2008, bearing No. SLN.SR (NA): 20:2005/06 and bounded on : East by : Chitrakut Apartments, West by : N. Channakeshava Murthy's property, North by : Jayaraman and his brother's property, South by : N. Adiram Pillai Subramani property.

SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the residential flat bearing No. F-11 in First Floor, 'F' Block measuring 1494 square feet comprising of Living, Kitchen, Utility, Three (3)toilets, Two (2) balconies, Three (3) Bedrooms together with One (1) covered car parking space in the basement along with 709.25 square feet undivided right, title and interest in SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY.

For any clarification, please contact Mr. Sanjay Prasad Mobile No. 9916566630.

3. Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : (1) Mr.Punit Singhal S/o.Mr.Om Prakash Gupta, **(2) Mr.Om Prakash Gupta** S/o.Mr.Brij Mohan Gupta, **Both are residing at:** B-402,Godrej Air, Seetharampalya, Hoodi Bangalore-560048. **Also at :** Makan No.52/, MIG Indra Nagar, Ratlam,Madhya Pradesh, Ratlam, Madhya Pradesh- 457001.

Loan A/c No : PHR000908295617

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.94,97,198/- (Rupees Ninety four Lakhs Ninety Seven Thousand One Hundred and Ninety Eight Only) being the amount due as on **19.05.2025** and interest thereon.

Demand Notice Dated : 10.01.2025 **Possession Notice Dated : 19.08.2025**

Description Of The Property Belongs To Mr.Punit Singhal and Mr. Om Prakash Gupta

SCHEDULE 'A': (Description of the entire property) ITEM NO.01: All that piece and parcel of property bearing Survey No.13/6, 14/3(old Number SurveyNo.14/1), 16/4, 16/5 in all measuring 05 Acres 12 Guntas all situated at Hoodi Village, Krishnarajapura Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk duly converted for non-agricultural residential use vide Official Memorandum bearing No. BDS. Al-N. (Pu) SR: (Kru.Hu): 138A/2005-06, dated 29.11.2008 and Office Memorandum dated 22.07.2015 bearing No. ALN (Pu).SR. (Kru.Ho)138A/2005-06 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and bounded on the : East by : Land bearing Survey No.14/1 and Survey No.15/2, West by : Land bearing Survey No. 13/5 and Survey No. 16/3, North by : Site bearing No.236 (carved out of SurveyNo.12) and Site No.235 (carved out of SurveyNo. 12) and Road, South by : Land bearing Survey No.18.

ITEM NO.02: All that piece and parcel of residential property bearing Survey No.15/2 measuring 01 Acre 12 Guntas, situated at Hoodi Village, Krishnarajapura Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk duly converted for non-agricultural residential use vide Official Memorandum bearing No. ALN:(Pu) SR:(Kai Ho): 124/2008-09 dated 21.02.2009 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and bounded on the : East by: Land bearing Survey No.15/3, West by: Land bearing Survey No. 16, North by: Land bearing Survey No. 15/1, South by: Land bearing Survey No. 17. The entire Schedule A Property in all measures 06 Acres 24 Guntas is presently bearing BBMP Khatha No. 365/13/6, 14/1, 16/4, 16/5, 15/2.

SCHEDULE "B" : (Description of the Apartment constructed and conveyed under this Sale Deed): A 2.5 BHK Apartment bearing No. 402 on the 4th Floor of B Tower in the Phase 1 of the Project Known as "Godrej Air" having (i) carpet area of 87.05 square metres; (ii) Exclusive area of 6.03 square metres; and (iii) proportionate share of 39.77 square metres in (a) the Common Area and (b) the Common Amenities and Facilities along with One car parking space. The Schedule "B" Apartment is shown in plan Schedule "I" hereto.

SCHEDULE "C" : (Description of the Undivided Conveyed Under this Sale Deed): 39.19 square metres undivided share in the Schedule "A" Property corresponding to the Schedule "B" Apartment.

For any clarification, please contact Mr. Prem in Mobile No. 918880041234.

Date : 19.08.2025
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Axis Bank

Government of Karnataka

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PANCHAYAT RAJ ENGINEERING DIVISION KALABURAGI

No: EE/PRED/KLB/KKRDB /TS2/TND/2025-26/2396 Date : 18/08/2025

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through E-procurement Two Cover System)

1) Name of work: Construction of CC road and Drain in Sc colony at Handarki, Hulgol, Lingampalli, Rajola K, Kadalapur Tanda, Gopanpalli, Gopanpalli Tanda, Bondepalli, Gopinayak, Indira Nagar Karbhari Tanda, Indira Nagar Phasaladi Tanda, Eranapalli Tanda, Nadepalli, Nadepalli Tanda, Khandrayanpalli, At Mallabad Tanda, Gaddanna Tanda, Shakaleshpalli, Venktapur Bikku Nayak Tanda, Venktapur Ramuji Nayak Tanda and Yaddalli village in Sedam Taluka **Indent No.17689**, 2) Head of account: **KKRDB FOR THE YEAR 2024-25**, 3) Amount put to tender: **INDENT NO.17689 Rs. 1,34,14,496.14**, 4) Class of Contractor: CLASS – III & ABOVE, 5) Issue of Blank Tender Documents: **18-08-2025 TO 02-09-2025 UPTO 4.00 PM,** 6) Tender Form Fee: Rs. 3360.00, 7) E.M.D. Fee: Rs. 2,01,500.00, 8) Receipt of completed tender documents: **18-08-2025 TO 02-09-2025 UPTO 4.00 PM,** 9) Technical Bid Opening Date: **03-09-2025 AFTER 4.00 PM,** 10) Financial Bid opening Date: **06-09-2025 AFTER 11.00 AM**, 11) For more details contact: Office of the Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Engineering Division Opp: Karnataka Grameen Bank (PKGB) Head office, Kusnoor Road, Rajapur Kalaburagi, 12) Website Address: **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer
Panchayat Raj Engineering Division Kalaburagi

DIPR/Kalaburagi/411/KSMC&A/2025-26

PIRAMAL FINANCE LTD.

CIN: L65910MH1984PLC032639
Registered Office: Unit No.601,6th Floor, Piramal Amiti Building, Piramal Agastya Corporate Park, Kamani Junction, Opp. Fire Station, LBS Marg, Kurla (west), Mumbai-400070 -T +91 22 3802 4000
Branch Office: No. 13, Old No. 5, 1st Main Road Near Kodava Samaja,
Vasanth Nagar Bengaluru, Karnataka- 560052
Contact Person: 1. Deepak M - 9341694096, 2. Raghavendra Gowda – 9686463502, 3. Chandan Sakhalkar - 9820407168

E-Auction Sale Notice – Subsequent Sale

Pursuant to taking possession of the secured asset mentioned hereunder by the Authorized Officer of Piramal Finance Ltd (Formerly Piramal Capital & Housing Finance Ltd.) under the **Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002** for the recovery of amount due from borrower/s, offers are invited by the undersigned for purchase of immovable property, as described hereunder, which is in the possession, on **'As Is Where Is Basis', 'As Is What Is Basis' and 'Whatever Is There Is Basis'**, Particulars of which are given below:

Loan Code/Branch/ Borrower(s) / Co-Borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Property Address _final	Reserve Price	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) (10% of RP)	Outstanding Amount (11-08-2025)
Loan Code No.: PHHLBNG07000400, Bangalore (Branch), Bedmalya Deb (Borrower), Diya Deb (Co Borrower 1)	Dt: 23-01-2023, Rs. 4701673/-, (Rs. Forty Seven lakh One Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Three Only)	All The piece and Parcel of the Property having an extent :- C2032 Global Techies Town 20Th Floor Maragondanahalli Village Jigani Hobli Anekal Taluk Electronics City Bangalore South Karnataka 560100	Rs. 6720000/- ,(Rs. Sixty Seven lakh Twenty Thousand Only)	Rs. 672000/-, (Rs. Six lakh Seventy Two Thousand Only)	Rs. 6204197/-, (Rs. Sixty Two lakh Four Thousand One Hundred Ninety Seven Only)
Loan Code No.: M0124426, Bangalore (Branch), Sivakumar K (Borrower), Pandiswari S (Co Borrower 1)	Dt: 17-08-2023, Rs. 2859779/-, (Rs. Twenty Eight lakh Fifty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Nine Only)	All The piece and Parcel of the Property having an extent :- Flat No. 315, Third Floor, Mvs Orchids, Site No.S 53 To 70, Khata No. 504, Sy No. 30, Kavalahosahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District	Rs. 2810000/- ,(Rs. Twenty Eight lakh Ten Thousand Only)	Rs. 281000/-, (Rs. Two lakh Eighty One Thousand Only)	Rs. 3598484/-, (Rs. Thirty Five lakh Ninety Eight Thousand Four Hundred Eighty Four Only)
Loan Code No.: BLSA00004051, Bengaluru - Jayanagar (Branch), Yelammagari Nagendra (Borrower), Siddamma T (Co Borrower 1)	Dt: 22-01-2024, Rs. 1771466/-, (Rs. Seventeen lakh Seventy One Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Six Only)	All The piece and Parcel of the Property having an extent :- Flat No. 001, Ground Floor, Pine Block - A Tower, Indya Estates - The Greens, Anekal - Attibele Road, Karpura Village, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore - 562106 Boundaries As :- North : Open Space South : Corridor East : Flat No. 002 West :Open Space	Rs. 2480000/- ,(Rs. Twenty Four lakh Eighty Thousand Only)	Rs. 248000/-, (Rs. Two lakh Forty Eight Thousand Only)	Rs. 2329626/-, (Rs. Twenty Three lakh Twenty Nine Thousand Six Hundred Twenty Six Only)
Loan Code No.: M0018561, Bangalore (Branch), SANTOSH N (Borrower), Rashmi S (Co Borrower 1)	Dt: 10-01-2023, Rs. 3115493/-, (Rs. Thirty One lakh Fifteen Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Three Only)	All The piece and Parcel of the Property having an extent :- Flat No. 205 B block Second floor Vakil Whispering Woods Residences 1 Anekal Taluk 562106	Rs. 3450000/- ,(Rs. Thirty Four lakh Fifty Thousand Only)	Rs. 345000/-, (Rs. Three lakh Forty Five Thousand Only)	Rs. 4118305/-, (Rs. Forty One lakh Eighteen Thousand Three Hundred Five Only)
Loan Code No.: 21400041522, Bengaluru - Jayanagar (Branch), Nagamma M (Borrower), Deepak K (Co Borrower 1)	Dt: 20-07-2021, Rs. 1501326/-, (Rs. Fifteen lakh One Thousand Three Hundred Twenty Six Only)	All The piece and Parcel of the Property having an extent :- No 144 Asb Nadi Residencing Taverekere Hobli Kurabharahalli Bangalore Bangalore Bengaluru Karnataka :- 560079	Rs. 2060000/- ,(Rs. Twenty lakh Sixty Thousand Only)	Rs. 206000/-, (Rs. Two lakh Six Thousand Only)	Rs. 1768484/-, (Rs. Seventeen lakh Sixty Eight Thousand Four Hundred Eighty Four Only)
Loan Code No.: 21400043147, Bengaluru - Jayanagar (Branch), Gopal Singh (Borrower),	Dt: 31-08-2021, Rs. 623783/-, (Rs. Six lakh Twenty Three Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty Three Only)	All The piece and Parcel of the Property having an extent :- Site No 117 Sy No 109 And117 Lingapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Bengaluru Karnataka :- 562106	Rs. 1530000/- ,(Rs. Fifteen lakh Thirty Thousand Only)	Rs. 153000/-, (Rs. One lakh Fifty Three Thousand Only)	Rs. 940932/-, (Rs. Nine lakh Forty Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty Two Only)
Loan Code No.: 21400042816, Bengaluru - Jayanagar (Branch), Madiraju Babu (Borrower), Gayathri Madiraju (Co Borrower 1)	Dt: 27-03-2019, Rs. 8021494/-, (Rs. Eighty lakh Twenty One Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Four Only)	All The piece and Parcel of the Property having an extent :- Flat No-704, Ground Floor, 3 Bhk, Parth Gardenia, Kodigehalli, Sahakara Nagar Main Road, Bangalore, Bengaluru-560097	Rs. 8660000/- ,(Rs. Eighty Six lakh Sixty Thousand Only)	Rs. 866000/-, (Rs. Eight lakh Sixty Six Thousand Only)	Rs. 20057988/-, (Rs. Two Crore Fifty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty Eight Only)

DATE OF E-AUCTION: 09-09-2025, FROM 11.00 A.M. TO 1.00 P.M (WITH UNLIMITED EXTENSION OF 5 MINUTES EACH), LAST DATE OF SUBMISSION OF BID: 08-09-2025, BEFORE 4.00 P.M.

For detailed terms and conditions of the Sale, please refer to the link provided in www.piramalfinance.com/e-Auction.html or email us on piramal.auction@piramal.com

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER SARFAESI ACT TO THE BORROWER/GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

The above-mentioned Borrower/Guarantor are hereby noticed to pay the sum as mentioned in section 13(2) notice in full with accrued interest till date before the date of auction, failing which property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost from borrower/guarantor.

The Borrowers attention is drawn towards sub-section 8 of section 13, of the act, in respect of the time available, to redeem the secured asset. Borrowers in particular and public in general may please take note, that in case the auction scheduled herein fails for any reason whatsoever then the secured creditor may enforce its security by the way of private treaty.

Date : 21.08.2025,
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- (Authorised Officer),
Piramal Finance Limited

TAMIL NADU MEDICAL SERVICES CORPORATION LTD.

(A Government of Tamilnadu Undertaking)
No. 417, Pantheon Road, Egmore, Chennai-600 008. Phone: 044-2819 1890, 2819 0259
E-Mail : gmdrug.tnmsc@tn.gov.in, mngrpurdrug.tnmsc@tn.gov.in Website : www.tnmsc.tn.gov.in

Online Tender is invited by the Tender Inviting Authority, Tamilnadu Medical Services Corporation Ltd., Chennai – 600008, from Licensed **Speciality Drugs** Manufacturers having three years Market Standing and holding Good Manufacturing Practice Certificate (as per revised Schedule-"M") issued by the Drug Control Authority. Direct Importers holding a valid Import License and experienced in the field for a minimum period of three years and Loan Licensees having valid Loan License are also eligible to participate in this tender.

Sl. No.	Description	e-Tender Reference	Tender Floating Period	e-Tender Submission Duration	Date and time of online opening of Technical Bids
1	Online Tender for the supply of **Speciality Drugs** to TNMSC Limited under rate contract system for one year from the date of acceptances	**e-022/M(P)/ SPL-DRUGS/ TNMSC/2025, Dated. 21.08.2025**	**21.08.2025 at 4.00 PM to 22.09.2025 upto 3.00 PM**	**01.09.2025 at 10.00 AM to 22.09.2025 upto 3.00 PM**	**22.09.2025 at 4.00 PM**

The tender document can be downloaded and the tender shall be submitted at **https://tntenders.gov.in/.** The tender document can also be downloaded at **www.tnmsc.tn.gov.in** for reference purpose.

Tender Inviting Authority /
General Manager (Drugs)

DIPR / 4503 / TENDER / 2025

GOVERNMENT OF TAMILNADU

HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT

CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE CIRCLE, SALEM

TENDER NOTICE

Tender Notice No.18/2025-2026/HDO/Dated: 18.08.2025

For and on behalf of the Governor of Tamilnadu Percentage tender through online only will be received **upto 30.09.2025 - 10.30 hours** by the Superintending Engineer (H) C&M, Salem Circle for **Nine CRIDP (CMRDP) Works for the year 2025-26** pertaining to **Namakkal, Dharmapuri and Krishnagiri (H) C&M Divisions.**

Details of works, approximate value of works, EMD, availability of tender documents, receiving date and all other details are available in the Government website **https://tntenders.gov.in** from **29.08.2025** onwards. If any Changes / Corrections in the tender, it will be published in the above Government website only.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER (H),
C&M, SALEM CIRCLE.

DIPR/4515/TENDER/2025

KONKAN RAILWAY CORPORATION LIMITED

(A Government of India Undertaking)

TENDER NOTIFICATION

Dy Chief Engineer (Works), Konkan Railway Corporation Limited, Ratnagiri, invites Open Tender Single Packet Bid system through E-Tendering on IREPS Portal from eligible contractors for the following work: **Name of work:** Conversion of Rail Level Platform to High Level Platform of PF no 1 at Goregaon road in Ratnagiri Region of Konkan Railway in the State of Maharashtra. **Tender Notice No.: KR-RN-DYCEW-PFGNO-2025-26 Dated: 21/08/2025, Total Estimated cost:** ₹ 1,68,53,062.35/- (Excluding GST). **Bidding start date:** 28/08/2025. **Closing Date/Time:** 11/09/2025 upto 15:00 Hrs for submission of on line offers/bids. **Completion period:** 6 months including monsoon. Manual offers shall not be accepted. Please visit https://www.ireps.gov.in website for details/participation and corrigendum/addendum will be hosted on this website only.

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

(BELLARY THERMAL POWER STATION)
CIN: U85110KA1970SGC001919

No. KPCL/2025-26/PS/WORK_INDENT3262 Date: 13.08.2025

ABSTRACT TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-Procurement)

KPCL invites tenders for **Providing and commissioning of 1 No. Hydraulic Excavator for CHP works.** Total Tender Amount (Exclusive of GST): **Rs.33,26,658/-.** EMD: **Rs.66,550/-.** Last date for submission of bids: **26.08.2025 up to 17.00 Hrs.** Opening of Technical Bid: **28.08.2025 at 10.05 Hrs.** Tender documents may be downloaded from the GoK e-Procurement website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** Further details can be had from the office of the **Executive Engineer (CHP) Mechanical-2,** BTPS, KPCL, Kudathini-583152, Ballari (District). Mob: +91 94482 90755.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, DEPARTMENT OF SPACE
U R RAO SATELLITE CENTRE

HAL Airport Road, Vimanapura Post, Bangalore - 560 017
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE GROUP
(Phone : 080 25084168, 4175, 4169) (Fax: 080 25084155)

BRIEF E-TENDER NOTICE

1. On behalf of President of India, item rate tender is invited for the following work.

Description	Details
Name of work	Replacement of Package AC units of UPS and Conference Rooms at ISITE Campus, Marathahalli, Bengaluru-560037.
E-Tender Notice	URSC/C and MG/ACMD/AC/1057/ETN-69A/2025-26 Dt.20.08.2025
Estimated cost put to Tender	₹ 26.58Lakhs
Tender Document Details	**E-Tender**
Period of completion in months reckoned from the 15th day of date of issue of work order	150 days / 05 Months
Period during which the tender document can be downloaded.	From 10:30 Hrs. on 21.08.2025 to 16:30Hrs. on 04.09.2025
Bid clarification	From 11:00 Hrs. on 21.08.2025 to 17:00 Hrs. on 08.09.2025
Last date and time of reply to Bid clarification.	Upto 17:00hrs on 10.09.2025
Last date and time for receipt of tenders.	Upto 14:30 Hrs. on 17.09.2025
Due date and time of opening of tenders.	After 15:00 Hrs. on 17.09.2025
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**₹ 53,160/- (Validity for 180 days)**

2. Interested tenderers may please refer Detailed Notice Inviting E-Tender (NIET) for eligibility criteria and other details along with Hindi version in website: **www.isro.gov.in** and download the tender documents from **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**

Sd/-
Group Director (Construction & Maintenance Group)

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No: SEE/Tr.(P)C/MRB/AEE(C)/EE(O)/25-26/2592-95 Date: 19.08.2025

TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal Mode Only)

KPTCL Invites Tender for the following two Civil Engineering works with work indent No's mentioned against each.

1) Work Indent No. KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2521 for Providing boundary fencing with RCC poles for the proposed 110/11kV Sub-Station at Dammur in Kurugodu Taluk, Ballari District (Others). **Amount :** Rs. 4,97,809.57 Excluding GST.

2) Work Indent No. KPTCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT2554 for Providing boundary fencing with RCC poles for the proposed 110/11kV Sub-Station at Halapura in Maski Taluk, Raichur District (Others). **Amount :** Rs.4,26,434.40 Excluding GST.

The Tender will be received through KPPP mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry in the E-procurement process can be obtained by logging on to website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **21.08.2025**. Details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer Ele, Tr. (Projects) Circle,
KPTCL, Munirabad

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

MADURAI HIGHWAYS, PROJECTS CIRCLE

TENDER NOTICE

T.N.No. 07/2025-26 / SDO. DATED: 19.08.2025

For and on behalf of the Governor of Tamil Nadu, **Percentage tender under two Cover System through online only** will be received upto **09.10.2025, 11.00 hours** by the Superintending Engineer (H), Projects, Madurai Circle for the work of "Formation of Alternative Route for Thoothukudi - Tiruchendur - Kanniyakumari road at km 0/0 - 1/2,1/2-3/0, 5/0-6/10 including Construction of High Level Bridge at km 0/4 across karumeni River and Construction of Minor Bridge at km 5/2" pertaining to Tirunelveli(H), Projects Division

Detail of work, approximate value of work, EMD, availability of tender document and all other details are available from **09.09.2025** onwards in the Government website **https://tntenders.gov.in.** If any Changes / Corrections in the tender, it will be published in the above Government website only.

Superintending Engineer (H),
Project, Madurai Circle.

DIPR/4482/TENDER/2025

GOVERNMENT OF TAMILNADU

HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT

Tiruchirappalli, Construction and Maintenance Circle

TENDER NOTICE

T.N. No: 20 / 2025-26 / HDO / Dated: 19.08.2025

For and on behalf of the Governor of Tamil Nadu, **Percentage tender through online** will be received up to **30.09.2025, 11.00 hours** (Server Time) by the Superintending Engineer (H), C&M, Tiruchirappalli Circle, Tiruchirappalli-20, **in CRIDP 2025-2026 Scheme one work** pertaining to **Tiruchirappalli** (H) C&M Division, **one work** pertaining to **Pudukkottai** (H) C&M Division, **and Three works** pertaining to **Aranthangi** (H) C&M Division.

Details of works, approximate value of works, EMD availability of tender documents and all other details are available from **30.08.2025** onwards in the Government website **https://tntenders.gov.in**. If any Changes / Corrections in the tender, it will be published in the above Government website only.

Superintending Engineer (H),
C&M Circle, Tiruchirappalli-20.

DIPR / **4522** / Tender / 2025

GVK POWER (GOINDWAL SAHIB) LIMITED

Regd. Office: Plot No.10, Paigah Colony, Sardar Patel Road, Secunderabad - 500003.
Telangana, India. CIN: U40109TG1997PLC028483
(A wholly owned subsidiary of Guru Amar Das Thermal Power Limited, GATPL)
(A step down wholly owned subsidiary of Punjab State Power Corporation Limited, PSPCL)

HOD - Mechanical, GATP, Goindwal Sahib, invites E-Tender for the supply of :

1	**Tender Enquiry No. 067/GATP/MMD/CHP/SPARE/20017802** dated 20/08/2025 1) **"Procurement of Fasteners required for crusher and Vibrating Gizzelle Feeder"** at 2X270 MW Guru Amardas Thermal Plant (GATP), Goindwal Sahib, Distt.: Tarn Taran, Punjab as per details given in the tender specifications.'

For detailed NIT & tender specifications, please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **20/08/2025** from **17:00 Hrs.** onwards.

Note: Corrigendum and addendum, if any, will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

790/GATP-54/25/20/08/2025
1079/12/2025-26/2435

WESTERN RAILWAY

MATERIAL MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

VARIOUS MATERIALS SUPPLY

E-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTICE No. S/55/2025 Date 19.08.2025

Sr. No.	Short Description of Item	Quantity	T.O.D.
467	Thin walled E Beam size single core x 120 SQ. MM	32000 Mtr	17-Sep-25
468	Refrigerant Gas R-407C	10843 KG	22-Sep-25
469	Maintenance Kit Set No.01 for Earthing Equipment of LHB Coaches, Kitconsisting of 03 Items	2026 Set	24-Sep-25
470	Silent Block for Anchor Link	12300 Nos	29-Sep-25
471	Disconnecting and Earthing Device, 8 Pole, 2 way	113 Nos	01-Oct-25
472	Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Inter Coach Gangway with flexible Interior System furnishing.	12 Set	06-Oct-25
473	PU Paint-Gentian Blue	41036 Ltr	06-Oct-25
474	Maintenance Kit Set No.03 for Wheel Set Earthing Equipment of LHB Coaches	3718 Set	09-Oct-25
CORRIGENDUM			
Please read the due date as "02.09.2025" for the tender notice no S-36-2025 dated: 12.06.2025 at Sr. No. 309			

Regarding detailed notice EMD, Purchase restrictions and detailed tender conditions, please visit website **www.ireps.gov.in** and **wr.indianrailways.gov.in** **0517**

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Government of Karnataka

MINOR IRRIGATION AND GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Office of the Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation & Ground Water Development Division, Jayanagar Shopping Complex, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560011

No. EE/MI & GWD/BNG/AE-5/10/2025-26 **Datd : 20.08.2025**

Short Term Tender Notification Through KPPP Portal

On behalf of the Hon'ble Governor of State of Karnataka, as per K.T.P.P. act with latest amendments, Item wise tenders are invited for the works mentioned under H/A NABARD-MOT from the eligible contractors of suitable category registered under KPWD. For further details, visit website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Name of the work: Improvements to Thayamagondlu Taluk, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural Dist.

Amount Put to Tender (Rs in Lakhs): Rs.484.17 EMD : in Rs.7,26,300/-

Period of Completion: 11 Months including Monsoon,

(1) Tender will be published through kpp portal on Dated: **20.08.2025 at 16.00 Hours, (2)** Last date of queries: **30.08.2025 at 15.00 Hours, (3)** Pre Bid Meeting Date & Time: **25.08.2025 at 15.00 Hours, (4)** Last Date for Receipt of Tenders on Dated: **30.08.2025 at 16.30 pm Hours, (5)** Technical Bid will be opened on Dated: **01.09.2025 at 11.30 am Hours, (6)** Financial Bid will be opened on Dated: **After approval of Technical bid.**

Conditions: 1) Terms and conditions and other details may be obtained through kppp portal at the website address **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** **2)** Tenderers are advised to note the minimum qualification criteria specified in clause KW-4 of ITT in Standard Tender document. **3)** Bidder should quote the rates Excluding GST. **4)** Rights are reserved for postponement or cancellation of any or all Tenders.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
M.I. & G.W.D. Division

DIPR/CP/2390/SSC/2025-2026

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)

ARM-II
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M G Road, Bengaluru-560001. Ph.080-25310099,
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DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)] TO BORROWERS/ GUARANTORS/MORTGAGORS

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer **of Canara Bank, ARM-II Branch** had issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of addresses at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. The contents of the said notice are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrowers / Co-Borrowers/ Mortgagors /Guarantors: 1) M/s. Manjunatha Traders A Partnership Firm Represented By It's Partners 8/22, Opp.M.G.Complex, APMC Yard Yeshwantpur, Bangalore-22. **(2) Sri Dhirish J Momaya** No 577 14th Cross 24th Main J P Nagar 1st Phase, Bangalore 560 078. **(3) M/s Jay Udyog** A Partnership Firm Represented By It's Partners Old Tharagupet K R Market Bengaluru 560053. **(4) Mrs Manisha Momaya** W/o Dhirish J Momaya No 577 14th Cross 24th Main J P Nagar 1st Phase Bangalore 560 078. **(5) Sri Hitesh J Momaya** No 577 14th Cross 24th Main 1Phase Bangalore 560 078. **(6) Smt Gunvanti J Momaya** No 577 14th Cross 24th Main J P Nagar 1st Phase Bangalore 560 078. **(7) Sri Jayantilal Momaya** No 577 14th Cross 24th Main J P Nagar 1st Phase Bangalore 560078. **(8) Harish J Momaya** Through It's Legal Heirs Mrs Meena Momaya, Dharam Momaya, Heeya Momaya No 577 14th Cross 24th Main J P Nagar 1st Phase Bangalore 560 078

[details Of The Credit Facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Loan No	Nature of Loan	Date of sanction	Sanction Amount	Liability with interest as on date	Rate Of Interest
0413261040036	OD	12.09.2024	Rs. 15,00,00,000.00	Rs. 15,42,97,059.15	10.55%
170001770804	GECL	10.11.2021	Rs. 13,00,000.00	Rs. 7,06,053.00	8.85%

Total Liability Amount: Rs.15,50,03,112.15/- (Rupees Fifteen Crore Fifty Lakhs Three Thousand One Hundred Twelve and Fifteen Paisa) as on **19.08.2025** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

NPA Date :03.05.2025 **Demand Notice Dated : 20.08.2025**

Details of Security Assets

Movable: (1) Name of Title holder: M/s MANJUNATHA TRADERS Hypothecation of Stocks (comprising of Raw materials, consumables, WIP & Finished goods) and Book Debts as per Hypothecation agreement.

Immovable: (1)Name of Title holder: Sri Dhirish J Momaya: All that piece and parcel of the land situated in Property at No 1681,PID NO 57-70-1681, 17th Main , JP Nagar II Phase, Bangalore-560078 East to West 18.29 Mts , North to south 11.12+11.27 by 2 mtrs Bounded by : East by: Site no 1680 West by: Road North by: Site No 1653 &1654 South by: Road.

(2) Name of Title holder: M/s Jay Udyaog All that piece and parcel of the Property at 277 PID No 28-185-277 old Taragupet, Chikpet, Measuring 1780.05 sqft or 165.45 Sqmt, Bounded by : East: Property of Nandi Hariyanna West: Property of M Mahesh & Subbanna North: Property of Narasamma South : old Tharagupet Road.

(3) Name of Title holder: Smt. Gunwati Momaya All that piece and parcel of the property Bearing No 553 measuring East To west 12.30 Meters & North To south 9.15 meters situated at J P Nagar 1st Phase formed by Bengaluru Development Authority Bouded on the East by:Road West by: Site no 536 North by: Site no 552/A South by : Road.

(4) Name of Title holder: M/s. Manjunatha Traders: All that piece and parcel of the Shop Cum Godown no 8/22, PID No 10-09-22/8, 22 Godown complex APMC yard Yashwantpur, Bengaluru East by: Shop West by: 10th Cross North by: Shop No 9/22 South by : Shop No 6/22.

(5) Name of Title holder: Sri Hitesh. J. Momaya: All that piece and parcel of the property situated at Site No 577,PID No 57-49-577,in Sarakki 1st Phase, 14th cross, JP Nagar and in Ward No 57 J P Nagar Bangalore Bounded on East by: Site no 576 West by: Site no 578 North by: Road South by : Site no 601.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagors including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 20.08.2025
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

NOMINATED AUTHORITY, MINISTRY OF COAL, GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

120, F-Wing, 1 Floor, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001. 011-23384106

"Invitation of Bids for Auction of Coal Mines/ Blocks for Sale of Coal"

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 4 (1) and 4 (2) of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015 and Section 11A of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and in accordance with the Rules made thereunder, the Government of India has directed the Nominated Authority to undertake the auction of Coal mines / blocks under 23rd Tranche of Auction under CM (SP) Act, 2015 & 13th Tranche of Auction under MMDR Act, 1957 and under Second Attempt of 22nd Tranche of Auction under CM(SP) Act, 2015 & Second Attempt of 12th Tranche of Auction under MMDR Act, 1957. The Tender process has been launched on Thursday, the 21st August, 2025. Tender Document and other details can be accessed on **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/coalblock/index.jsp.** **CBC-04107/11/0001/2526**

WESTERN RAILWAY

MATERIAL MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

VARIOUS MATERIALS SUPPLY

E-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTICE No. S/54/2025 Date 18.08.2025

Sr. No.	Short Description of Item	Quantity	T.O.D.
452	Silicon Rectifier Block (Compact)	35 Set	10-09-2025
453	Yoke for Upgraded High Tensile Non-Tr CBC	3003 Nos	11-09-2025
454	Main Compressor Onboard Type (Oil lubricated) 1745 LPM	100 Nos	11-09-2025
455	Combined Ultrasonic and Pneumatic	2 Nos	15-09-2025
456	Modified Transition Screw Coupling	309 Nos	15-09-2025
457	Crank Shaft Complete For Tap Changer.	19 Nos	15-09-2025
458	Spine Endoscopy System	2 Nos	22-09-2025
459	Secondary Spring Outer For Generator Car	111 Nos	22-09-2025
460	Repair Kit For Motor Suspension Unit	58 Set	22-09-2025
461	BL Switch Complete.	112 Nos	22-09-2025
462	Set of Maintenance Kit For EP Relay Valve	188 Set	23-09-2025
463	Suspension Tube (Casted)	60 Nos	24-09-2025
464	Set of Suspension Tube Bearing (Driving and Non Driving)	104 Set	25-09-2025
465	Secondary Vertical Damper	2231 Nos	08-10-2025
466	Bearing Piece Assembly for Uncoupling Gear	37737 Nos	10-10-2025

Regarding detailed notice EMD, Purchase restrictions and detailed tender conditions, please visit website **www.ireps.gov.in** and **wr.indianrailways.gov.in** **0513**

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PUBLIC NOTICE

My client Mr. Mahalingappa .S is in the process of purchasing a property situated at Chakranagara, Andrahalli, bearing Old Survey No. 81/2A-P1 and Present Survey No. 81/2A2, Ward No. 40, measuring a total extent of 761 square feet, with the following boundaries:

- East : Road
- West : Site No. 15 (House)
- North : Other's Property
- South : Site No. 10 (House)

The said property is being purchased from its present owner Mrs. Poojashree B.P.

Any person, institution, or entity having any claim, right, title, interest, mortgage, charge, lien, lease, tenancy, easement, or any other objection whatsoever in respect of the said property is hereby called upon to submit their objections, if any, along with supporting documentary evidence, within 15 (Fifteen) days from the date of this publication, to the undersigned at the address mentioned below.

If no such claim or objection is received within the stipulated time, it shall be presumed that there are no claims or objections, and the transaction shall proceed accordingly.

Sd/- **NARASE GOWDA**, Advocate
No. 37/4, 4-65, 1st Floor, 2nd Main Road,
Thimmenahalli, Prashanthnagara Signal, In
front of Indian Bank, Nagarabhavi Main Road,
Bengaluru - 560079. Mobile: 98444 41633
Email:
narasegowda.advocate2057@gmail.com
Place: Bangalore Date: 19/08/2025

S. E. RAILWAY – TENDER

Tender No. CE-RSW-25-26-01, dated 19.08.2025. e-Tender is invited by General Manager (Engg.)/S.E. Railway, Garden Reach, Kolkata-700043 for and on behalf of the President of India for the following work. **Description of the Work :** Provision of 59 Nos. of subways with RCC Box (Size 2.5m x 2.5m) by Box pushing method for pedestrian/animal/2-wheelers between Railway Km. 233.880 to 515.117 (Asanboni - Jharsuguda) in Chakradharpur Division of South Eastern Railway. **Tender Value :** ₹ 88,04,51,780.81. **Earnest Money :** ₹ 45,52,300/-. **Tender Document Cost:** Nil. **Tender Closing Date & Time :** 19.09.2025, 11.00 hrs. **Period of completion :** 24 months. Interested Tenderers may visit website **www.ireps.gov.in** for full details/description of the tenders and to know the status of this tender so as to submit their bids online. Physical/manual tender for this work will not be accepted. **(PR-542)**

PUBLIC NOTICE

General public are hereby informed that, our clients **M/s.Sri Sai Balaji Builders, Represented by its Managing Partners Mr.Kotha Purna Chandra Rao, Mr.Nune Lakshmi Prasad, Residing at: No.405, Golden Homes Apartment Owners Court Layout, Kasavanahalli, Bangalore-560 035,** has lost the Original Sale deed dated 06-12-2001, registered as document No.9158/2001-02, Book-1, registered in the office of the sub registrar Bangalore South Taluk, in favour of Mr.Dipan Bhattacharya, in respect of the property bearing Site No.D-11 and D-12, situated at **"GREEN VILLE" Layout, Junnasandra Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk,** while taking Xerox copy of the same near Kasavanahalli. Our client had lodged an online police complaint on **20-08-2025, lost report No.1761362/2025.** If anybody found the said document please contact this **Nos.9844155041, 9110600292.**

V.S.Rai & Associates, LAW FIRM
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Commissioner, Department of Treasuries

6th Floor, KPCL Green Building, Palace Road,
Bengaluru-560001. Ph: 080-22028210

No.: DOT/PROC/37/2024-25 Date: 19.08.2025

NOTIFICATION

Vide notification No. DOT/PROC/37/2024-25 dated 19.08.205, applications are invited for the posts of the Solution Architect, Business Process Re-engineering, Domain Expert and Project Manager in the IFMS project of GoK under the Office of Commissioner of Treasuries. Interested candidates may download the notification published in the Commissionerate of Treasuries website: **https://khajane.karnataka.gov.in/** and submit their CV/resumes, with details of work experience and other relevant documents **on or before 10.09.2025.** The Documents shall be sent by registered post to the Office of the Commissioner of Treasuries, 6th Floor, KPCL Green Building, Palace Road, Bengaluru-560001 and by e-mail: **commr.pa@karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Commissioner of Treasuries
DIPR/DD-C.P/2404/KSMCA/2025-26

SREE CHARAN SOUHARDHA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD

Head Office: # 87/1, H.B. Samaja Road, Gandhi Bazar, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru - 560 004, Phone : 26676837, Fax 26606135
e-mail: scscb.helpdesk@sreecharanbank.com, web : www.sreecharanbank.com

DEMAND NOTICE

Notice u/s 13(2) of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (Hereinafter called 'Act')

'Subject: Financial assistance sanctioned to you by Sree Charan Souhardha Co-Operative Bank Ltd–Defaults committed by you in payment of installments of Principal, interest etc.

We, **Sree Charan Souhardha Co-Operative Bank Ltd, Bangalore,** had issued Demand Notices under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgement Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has been returned due to non-availability of addressees at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. Further, Bank had served the said demand notices by affixture at the addresses given. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

1) Name and Address of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : Applicants: 1. Name and Address of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor: Applicant: (1) Mrs. Rajani Kumari T, W/o T Rajashekar, No.20, 7th Cross, Nanjappa Garden, Babusab Palya, Kalyanagar Post, Bengaluru-560043. **Also at:** No.501, Bijith Classic Apartment, Next to Kristu Jayanti College, K Narayanapura Road, Kothnur, Bengaluru-560077. **Guarantors: (1) Mr. Rajashekar Tripuraneni,** S/o T Varaprasad Rao, No.20, 7th Cross, Nanjappa Garden, Babusab Palya, Kalyanagar Post, Bengaluru-560043. **Also at:** No.501, Bijith Classic Apartment, Next to Kristu Jayanti College, K Narayanapura Road, Kothnur, Bengaluru-560077. **(2) Mr. Sathyanarayana Raju P,** S/o Jalaiah Puli, No.11/A1, Puli Complex, 1st Main, R M V 2nd Stage, Jaladashini Layout, Bengaluru-560094. **(3) Mrs. K Sujatha,** W/o K Ramesh Chowdary, No.26, Nethaji Nagar, 3rd Main, Kempapur, Hebbala, Bengaluru-560024.

Sl No.	A/c No	Amount (Rs)	Amount outstanding as on 31.07.2025 repayable by you
1	IPL-20170002	Rs. 1,50,00,000/-	**Rs.39,88,838.62** together with further interest thereon with effect from **01/08/2025** at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realization.
2	LRY-EMI 20180002	Rs. 68,00,000/-	**Rs.47,23,103/-** together with further interest thereon with effect from **01/08/2025** at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realization.
	Total	Rs. 2,18,00,000/-	Rs. 87,11,941.62

Amount Outstanding : Rs. 87,11,941.62 (Rupees Eighty Seven Lakhs Eleven Thousand Nine Hundred Forty One and Paise Sixty Two Only) as on **31/07/2025** together with further interest thereon with effect from **01/08/2025** at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realisation.

NPA Date : 22.06.2025 **Demand Notice Dated : 07.08.2025** **Branch : Jayanagar**

(Details of Hypothecated assets and details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower)

ITEM No.1: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.21 and 22, situated at Babusab Palya Chelikere, K R Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru, BBMP Katha No.224-21-22, property formed out of Assessment No.224, measuring East to West 40 feet, North to South 60 feet, in all 2400 sq. ft. together with a building standing thereon, comprising of Shop Nos 1 to 4 in the Ground Floor, Shop Nos. 5 to 8 in the First Floor, Shop Nos. 9 to 12 in Second Floor and bounded on: East: Property of Srinivasa Reddy, West: Road, North: Property No.20, South: Property No.23.

ITEM No.2: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.15, formed out of Assessment No.4/6, V P Katha No.288/A, situated at Hennur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Kacharakanahalli,(thereafter CMC Katha No.792(Old CMC Katha No.112), property No.288/A-4/6-15, situated at Hennur Ward No. 30 of Byatarayanapura CMC, Bengaluru-560092), after inclusion into BBMP HBR Layout Ward No.24, property bearing Katha No.469/288/A/15, Hennur, Bengaluru, measuring East to West towards North 71 feet, towards South 66 feet, North to South towards East 40 feet, towards West 40 feet and bounded on: East: 20 feet Road, West: 2 feet Government Drain, North: Site Nos 7 & 8, South: Site No.16.

2) Name and Address of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor : Applicants: 1. Name and Address of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower / Mortgagor / Guarantor: Applicant: (1) SBL-EMI/20220004, Mrs. Subhashini Mahesh, W/o Maheshwara Rao A, No.63, Srinivas Garden, 2nd Cross, Agrahara Village, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560064. **Guarantor : Mr. Maheshwara Rao A,** S/o Late Anantha Kondaiah, No.63, Srinivas Garden, 2nd Cross, Agrahara Village, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560064. **(2) Applicant: SBL-EMI/20220005, Mr. Maheshwara Rao A,** S/o Late Kondayya, No.63, Srinivasa Garden, 2nd Cross, Agrahara Village, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560064. **Guarantor : Mrs. Subhashini Mahesh,** W/o Maheshwara Rao A, No.63, Srinivasa Garden, 2nd Cross, Agrahara Village, Yelahanka, Bengaluru-560064. **Both are Loans Guarantor: Mr. K Rajesh,** S/o Krishnaswamy H K, No.466 B, 3rd A Cross, Hebbala, Bengaluru North, H A Farm, Bengaluru-560024.

Sl No.	A/c No	Amount (Rs)	Amount outstanding as on 31.07.2025 repayable by you
1	SBL-EMI/ 20220004	Rs. 35,00,000/-	**Rs.32,97,946.78** together with further interest thereon with effect from **01/08/2025** at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realization.
2	SBL-EMI/ 20220005	Rs. 25,00,000/-	**Rs.22,18,142.66** together with further interest thereon with effect from **01/08/2025** at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realization.
	Total	Rs. 60,00,000/-	Rs. 55,16,089.44

Amount Outstanding : Rs. 55,16,089.44 (Rupees Fifty Five Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Eighty Nine and Paisa Forty Four Only) as on **31/07/2025** together with further interest thereon with effect from **01/08/2025** at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realisation.

NPA Date : 10.04.2025 and 02.05.2025 **Demand Notice Dated : 07.08.2025** **Branch : Sultanpet**

(Details of Hypothecated assets and details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower)

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.63, Yalahanka CMC Serial No.62/1 & 62/2, BBMP Katha No.785, situated at Agrahara Village, Yalahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru, within the limits of BBMP Jakkur Ward No.5, having BBMP B-Katha No.63/62/1/62/2, measuring East to West 40 feet, North to South 30 feet, in all 1200 square feet and bounded on: East: Site No.28 & 29, West: 28 feet Road, North: Site No.62, South: Site No.64

You are here by called upon to pay **Sree Charan Souhardha Co-Operative Bank Ltd,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Sree Charan Souhardha Co-Operative Bank Ltd,** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Sree Charan Souhardha Co-Operative Bank Ltd,** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower / Guarantors / Mortgager including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Sree Charan Souhardha Co-Operative Bank Ltd,** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also Hypothecated / Mortagaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 20.08.2025
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Sree Charan Souhardha Co-Operative Bank Ltd

INDIAN OVERSEAS BANK

Dindigul Main Branch, No: 1 Railway Station Road, Behind Varadharaja Complex,
Dindigul - 624001. Tel: 89259 50332, 94454 15272,72002 98954

E - AUCTION - SALE NOTICE

(Under Proviso to Rule 8(6) / Rule 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules) E-Auction Sale Notice of Immovable Assets Under the Securitization and Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002, Read With Proviso To Rule 8(6) Of The Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules Act,2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the borrower (s) and guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Indian Overseas Bank, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As, is what is" and "Whatever there is"** on **06.09.2025 (Saturday)** for recovery of **Rs. 3,47,81,110.27/- (Rupees Three crores forty seven lakhs eighty one thousand one hundred and ten and paise twenty seven only)** as on 20.08.2025 with further interest and costs due to the IOB Secured creditor from Borrower: **1. M/s. Black Impex Granites (Institution),** A/83, 1st floor, MVM Nagar, Dindigul - 624001. **2. Mr. JMA Salman (Borrower & Owner),** Plot no 19 to 23, Ward 6, Periarignar Anna Nagar, Kasimallinagar, Adiyanoothu Village, Dindigul - 624003. **3. Mr. C Asok Rose(Borrower & Owner),** Plot no 6, 7, Ward 6, Periarignar Anna Nagar, Kasimallinagar, Adiyanoothu Village, Dindigul - 624003. **4. Dr. Jamal Yusuf (Guarantor),** 96, Marai Malai Nagar, Nagapattinam - 611001. **5. Mrs. Thahira Yusuf (Guarantor),** 96, Marai Malai Nagar, Nagapattinam - 611001. **6. Mrs. Jabeen Banu (Guarantor),** 43, Anna Nagar, Dindigul - 624004. **7. Mrs. Adela Ashok (Guarantor),** A/83, MVM Nagar, Dindigul - 624004. **Description of the Property: Schedule 1:** All that piece and parcel of Mining property situated in S.No: 129/4 to the extent of 0-30 guntas (0-05 guntas karab land) and sy no 129/2 which measure 03 guntas & sy no: 130 which measure 0-10 guntas (0-02 guntas karab land) situated at herindyapanahalli village, kodihalli hobli, kanakapura taluk, Ramanagaram district owned by JMA Salman S/o. Dr. Jamal Yussuff and C. Asok Rose S/o CH. Rose. Boundaries of the Property: North: Land of Nagashetty & Puttaswamy ; South: Land of P. Puttaswamy & Basavegowda ; West: Land of Shek Ahamad ; East: Land of Nagashetty & Puttaswamy. **Schedule 2:** All that piece and parcel of Mining property situated in S.No: 130 to the extent of 0-12 guntas (0-02 guntas karab land) situated at herindyapanahalli village, kodihalli hobli, kanakapura taluk, Ramanagaram district owned by JMA Salman S/o. Dr. Jamal Yussuff and C. Asok Rose S/o CH. Rose. Boundaries of the Property: North: Land of B. Krishnakumar ; South: Land of Siddaraju ; West: Land of Siddaraju ; East: Land of Doddabasavegowda. **Schedule 3:** All that piece and parcel of Mining property situated in S.No: 130 to the extent of 0-19 guntas (0-06 guntas karab land) situated at herindyapanahalli village, kodihalli hobli, kanakapura taluk, Ramanagaram district owned by JMA Salman S/o. Dr. Jamal Yussuff and C. Asok Rose S/o CH. Rose. Boundaries of the Property: North: Land of Sy no: 130 ; South: Remaining land of Ourself in the same number ; West: Land of Muddegowda S/o. Maregowda of Thippur village ; East: Land of JMA Salman and C. Asok Rose **Schedule 4:** All that piece and parcel of Mining property situated in S.No: 129/3 to the extent of 0-20 guntas (0-20 guntas karab land) situated at herindyapanahalli village, kodihalli hobli, kanakapura taluk, Ramanagaram district owned by JMA Salman S/o. Dr. Jamal Yussuff and C. Asok Rose S/o CH. Rose. Boundaries of the Property: North: Land of Veermadu, Puttaswamy, Virabdrashetti ; South: Land of Siddaraju of Thippur VIllage ; West: Land of Balanarashimaiah ; East: Land of JMA Salman and C. Asok Rose. **Total area of the site: (36 guntas + 10 guntas + 13 guntas) total 2 acre 14 cents. Reserve Price: Rs. 38,00,000/- ; EMD Amount-10% of Reserve price (Rs. 3,80,000); Indian Overseas Bank, Dindigul Main Branch (Branch Code: 0332), IFSC Code: IOBA0000332.**

Known Encumbrance, if any: Nil as per Bank's Knowledge ; *Banks dues have priority over the statutory dues. Please contact **Branch Manager** for any further details. For detailed Terms and Conditions of the sale please visit: **https://www.iob.in/tender.aspx; https://baanknet.com/** and for participation visit: **https://baanknet.com/**

Date & Time of E-Auction : 06.09.2025 (Saturday), 10.00 AM to 4.00 PM
With auto extension of 10 Minutes each till sale is completed.

Inspection of property: All Working days between 22.08.2025 to 05.09.2025 (11.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M)

This may also be treated as a Notice under Rule 8(6) / Rule 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 to the borrower/s and guarantor/s of the said loan about holding of e-auction on the above mentioned date.

Place: Dindigul ; Date: 20.08.2025 **Authorised Officer**

KSEB KERALA STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED - E-TENDER NOTICE

O/o the Assistant Executive Engineer , Transmission Construction Sub Division, Kaniyambetta, Wayanad
E Tender ID No.2025_KSEB_788364 PAC:Rs. 1,20,48,138/- Last Date: 29.08.2025 03.00 pm

O/o the Chief Engineer (SCM) & CSC, Vydyuthi Bhavanam, Thiruvananthapuram
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SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

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1) Improvements to Road from Basapur SH 129 to Balutagi Road in Yelaburga Taluka VR 191 RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT17987 APT- Rs. 25052356.15, E.M.D. : Rs. 3,76,000=00, Period : 06 Months, 2) Construction of Metaling Road and Dambar Road from Kudrimothi Village SH 36 Via Chendinal Village in Kukannor Taluka of Koppal District VR 92 RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT17682 APT- Rs. 16612133.62, E.M.D. : Rs. 2,49,000=00, Period : 06 Months, 3) Construction of Box Culvert to 12 CDS and Improvement of Road from Yarehanchinal Village to Naregal Taluka Border and Construction of 2 Box Culvert From Bhanapur Cross to Lakamapur Road in Kukanoor Taluka of Koppal District VR 124 and 106 RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT17681 APT- Rs. 30128882.36, E.M.D. : 4,52,000=00, Period : 09 Months, 4) The Construction of Road From Nirlooti Cross to Malligewada Cross Road in Kanakagiri Taluka of Koppal District Under 2024-25 5054 Head Of Account RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT16968 APT- Rs. 12070726.78, E.M.D. : 3,38,000=00, Period : 06 Months, 5) Construction of Dambar Road from Binnal to Tondihal Road at Binnal Village in Kukanoor Taluka Under 5054 Head RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT16534 APT- Rs. 11764340.89, E.M.D. : 1,76,500.00, Period : 06 Months.

1) Tender Processing Fees : As per E-Procurement, 2) Download of Schedule-B in Eproc Portal : From 20-08-2025 Time after 10.00 a.m. upto 08-09-2025 Time 16.00 Hours. 3) Tender Receipt Last Date : From 20-08-2025 Time 11.00 a.m. upto 08-09-2025 Time 16.30 Hours. 4) Technical Bid Open Date and Time (Both Technical & Financial Bids are Opened as same Date for KW-1 & KW-2, KW-3 Works : 09-09-2025 in Office hours. 5) Financial Bid Open Date and Time for KW-4 After getting Technical approval from Competent Authority, Bid will be Opened.

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Sd/- Executive Engineer
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EDITORIAL

Peace is not unity in similarity but unity in diversity, in the comparison and conciliation of differences

Mikhail Gorbachev

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— **Ramnath Goenka**

GIG WORKERS' WELFARE NEEDS URGENT ATTENTION FROM STATES & BUSINESSES

THE Karnataka Assembly on Tuesday passed the Karnataka Platform-based Gig Workers (Social Security and Welfare) Bill to ensure a degree of security for those working on contract with digital platforms for delivering services. The bill provides a dispute resolution mechanism; establishes a gig workers' welfare board, which will set up a welfare fund; provides for registration of workers, aggregators or platforms; income security; and reasonable working conditions. These are essential covers for gig workers who have worked through a pandemic and continue to toil through regular extreme weather conditions to deliver goods while braving a range of threats from air pollution to traffic hazards.

The timing of the bill's passage in Karnataka coincides with heavy rains and inundation in several parts of India—a steep challenge through which gig workers continue their work of delivering even when offices, schools and colleges are ordered shut for people's safety. Besides, gig workers also face challenges such as income instability, lack of paid time off, and limited access to health insurance.

The gig economy has been in India since around 2010, when food delivery and ride-hailing platforms arrived. But a regulatory mechanism to ensure security for gig workers has remained conspicuous by its absence across India. So far, Rajasthan is the only state with a regulatory mechanism for gig workers with its Rajasthan Platform-based Gig Workers (Registration and Welfare) Act, 2023. The Karnataka Bill now has to pass through the legislative council to become an Act and benefit four lakh workers in the state.

The gig economy has emerged as a key employment generator globally. According to Niti Aayog's estimates, India's gig sector had 77 lakh workers in 2020 and is expected to triple to 2.35 crore by 2029-30. The sector's growth has drastically shifted work practices over the last few years. It has led to new issues relating to employment, to which employers and business membership organisations have responded within a regulated framework in many countries. The regulatory landscape and various aspects of worker welfare in the gig economy are still nascent in India. The need of the hour is for institutions like business organisations to take up a greater role in shaping social dialogue and organising efforts to address the challenges faced by gig workers.

SCHOOL MERGERS RAISE CONCERNS ABOUT ACCESS

THE Uttar Pradesh government's decision to merge over 10,000 government primary and upper primary schools with fewer than 50 students has triggered a serious debate. The move is explained as being in line with the National Education Policy 2020, which encourages school clusters and resource sharing for improving learning environments. Several states are taking similar steps, suggesting that this is becoming a broader trend in the management of primary education. However, concerns are being raised and legal redress is being sought. The Right to Education Act, 2009 guarantees free and compulsory education in neighbourhood schools for children aged between six and 14. The Act does not set any minimum enrolment requirement for schools to exist. Closing or merging schools in ways that make them less accessible poses a risk of diluting the neighbourhood principle that underpins the law. Neither the NEP nor a government order can supersede children's fundamental right enshrined under Article 21A of the Constitution.

Besides the legal concerns, the education ministry has pointed out declining enrolments in many government schools, a trend confirmed by UDISE+ data. Rather than merging schools, it is pertinent to ask why parents are withdrawing their children from schools. The answers are well known: inadequate facilities, teacher absenteeism, and a lack of accountability. These are failures of governance rather than a lack of demand for education. If resources were directed towards improving infrastructure, training teachers, and ensuring consistent quality, enrolments could rise again. For many families in towns and villages, especially for the marginalised, a nearby school is what makes education possible. When that school is shut, the burden of distance falls on the child, girls in particular. When schools move farther away, dropout rates for girls rise sharply. In UP, with a 57.18 percent female literacy rate, the loss of neighbourhood schools can only deepen the existing inequalities.

Such mergers may appear efficient in the short term, but the long-term costs could be considerable. A practical approach would be to strengthen the schools that already exist—by improving classrooms, ensuring teachers' presence, and making schools centres of community trust. The constitutional promise under Article 21A is not simply about cost-effective administration. It is about opening doors of opportunity for every child, regardless of background. Ensuring that neighbourhood schools remain accessible and vibrant is central to that promise.

QUICK TAKE

CONNECTING NORTHEAST

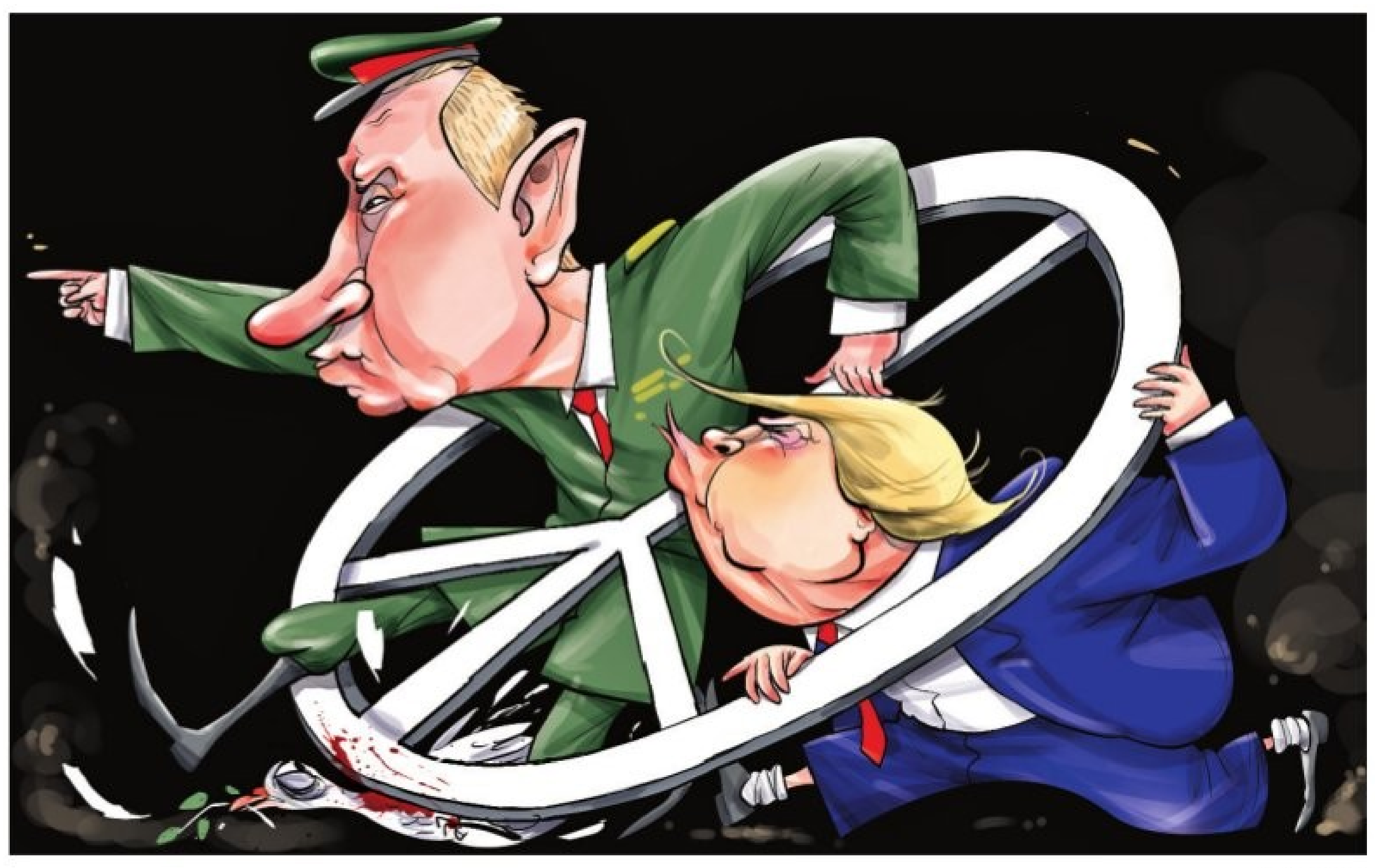
IT'S heartening to note the government's statement in parliament on Wednesday that 40,663 villages across the seven northeastern states and Sikkim have been brought under 4G mobile coverage. This includes 3,094 out of Arunachal Pradesh's 5,343 villages, 2,132 in Manipur out of 2,581, and 1,213 in Nagaland out of 1,355. The BharatNet project is indeed an essential effort in extending and upgrading the country's mobile network to farflung areas. When mobile coverage was stopped in Manipur during ethnic clashes, commerce and education suffered a lot. When we talk of strengthening our borders with better infrastructure, mobile connectivity is as important as building roads and bridges. The rest of the Northeast, too, must be covered.

Though Europe has inserted itself into the Ukraine peace process and may raise a force to ensure it, Trump is clear he and Putin are the main deciders

TRUMP FOCUSES ON PEACE, EUROPE ON THE PIECES

M K BHADRAKUMAR

Former diplomat



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LAWRENCE Freedman, emeritus professor of war studies at King's College London, has an acerbic description of the statecraft of US President Donald Trump: "Never assume you know what Donald Trump is going to do or say next because it is unlikely he does. Take seriously what he says at any time because that probably accurately reflects what he is thinking, but some of his thoughts can be very transitory and are soon replaced by others. If you don't like the positions being held on one day, push back because he might be convinced to hold a different position the next. Equally, when satisfied with today's position, do not assume it will last."

Unsurprisingly, the representatives of Europe's ruling elite who headed to the White House to meet with Trump on Monday counted that there was scope to push back the consensus reached at the Alaska meeting between Trump and his Russian counterpart Vladimir Putin on August 15 to the effect that achieving "a comprehensive, just, and sustainable resolution to the conflict surrounding Ukraine—including the eradication of its root causes" should be the priority, rather than an immediate ceasefire to end the war.

The European allies are alarmed that Trump dropped the idea of imposing crippling sanctions on Russia. But they feel excited that on the contentious issue of security guarantee for Ukraine, Trump extracted a "*horosho*" (okay) from Putin, which could open a pathway for inserting themselves into the Ukraine settlement process. The play here is to lock Trump into Europe and an anti-Russian Ukraine. Trump seemed to acquiesce when he told *Fox News* that American forces could assist Ukraine's allies in deterring future Russian attacks.

It will be extremely difficult for the present-day European leaders, whose rhetoric even today is replete with animus against Putin and Russia, to resume contacts directly with Putin. But on the other hand, the Europeans anyway have nothing concrete to propose constructively, either—apart from beating the dead horse of a ceasefire and piling even more sanctions on Russia and repeating the idea of a Western force to give security guarantee in a post-ceasefire politico-military scenario in Ukraine. In the final analysis, the Europeans' efforts narrow down to loosening the newfound bonding between Trump and Putin, which could make the Alaska matrix fluid and inchoate.

How far these efforts will succeed time only can tell. But the interplay of these contradictions through the week since the Alaska meeting has made the overall "constructive and mutually respectful atmosphere" at Anchorage—to quote Putin—and his "friendly and trust-based conversation" with Trump less alluring and seemingly fragile.

And then, there are the moving parts. Principally, the Russian offensive is sharply accelerating as it made it a point to launch the largest strike this month on Ukraine after Trump hosted Volodymyr Zelenskyy, and EU and UK leaders for talks. This is no small matter, since major sticking points of the peace talks are said to be potential land swaps and security guarantees for Ukraine.

In the run-up to the Alaska meeting, Trump had threatened Russia with "severe consequences" if it did not accept a ceasefire, but afterwards, he summarily dropped that demand and said it was best to focus on a comprehensive peace deal, as Putin had pushed for. Again, Zelenskyy's European partners are not only supportive of a strong Ukrainian army that is provided with weapons and training by Western partners, but also are offering Ukraine a guarantee resembling Nato's collective defence mandate, Article 5, which stipulates that an attack on one member of the alliance is considered an attack on all.

Over and above, the European allies are looking to set up a force that could backstop any peace agreement in Ukraine. A 'Coalition of the Willing'—30 countries, including European nations Japan and Australia—has signed up to support the initiative, although the role the US might play in such a force is still to be determined. Russia has consistently said it will not accept any Western troop presence in Ukraine, and repeated that stance on Monday.

Financial Times reported on Tuesday that Trump has said a postwar security guarantee for Ukraine could involve US air support, as he warned Putin he would face a "rough situation" if he did not cooperate on a peace deal. Trump had told Fox News that American forces could assist Ukraine's allies in deterring future Russian attacks. "When it comes to security, [Europeans are] willing to put people on the ground," Trump said. "We're willing to help them with things, especially, probably talk about by air, because there's nobody [who has the] kind of stuff we have... But I don't think it's going to be a problem." *FT* noted that Trump's remarks were more specific than the comments he made the previous day, when he said "European nations are going to take a lot of the burden" of securing Ukraine, adding: "We're going to help them."

At Monday's meeting, according to *Spectator*, "Trump repeatedly made it clear that it was he and Putin who were the main deciders of the peace process, Europe's leaders the subordinates. He told his European visitors that he had spoken to Putin just before their meeting and would be calling him again right after. Trump was in his element as he acted as master of ceremonies, treating the European leaders like a CEO consulting his board members before top-level negotiations with a rival company."

Trump actually interrupted his meeting Monday with the Europeans to call Putin for a 40-minute phone conversation. Trump later said the US was setting up a bilateral meeting between Putin and Zelenskyy to discuss ending the conflict. According to a Kremlin statement, the two leaders discussed "the prospect of exploring opportunities for drawing higher-ranking officials from both Ukraine and Russia into these direct talks". Trump has since disclosed he was designating Vice President J D Vance, Secretary of State Marco Rubio and Special Envoy Steve Witkoff to "coordinate" with Moscow and Kyiv.

Make no mistake, Trump has brought in his trusted and most brainy negotiators to follow through. Professor Freedman, who proffered that pivoting around Trump could be hazardous, didn't know this "unknown unknown" side of Trump's statecraft.

(Views are personal)

BATTLING AI THREATS WITH AI

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Rajya Sabha MP from Odisha

INDIA'S digital payments landscape has witnessed exponential growth, with over 18,000 crore transactions recorded in 2024-25. UPI transactions alone surged by 137 percent to ₹200 trillion in 2023-24.

However, this surge has been accompanied by a significant rise in digital financial frauds. Between April 2024 and January 2025, the country reported 24 lakh digital fraud incidents, amounting to losses of ₹4,245 crore, a 67 percent increase from the previous year. High-value cyber fraud cases, involving sums exceeding ₹1 lakh, have also escalated, with 29,082 such incidents causing losses of approximately ₹175 crore.

The rampant spike in financial frauds in India can be traced back to a range of contributing factors. One major driver has been the rapid shift to mobile-based and UPI platforms, which, while transformative, has outpaced user awareness and digital literacy. As a result, a large section of users remains highly susceptible to fake payment links, fraudulent apps and phishing attempts. At the same time, fraudsters are becoming more sophisticated, increasingly relying on AI-generated content, deepfakes and other advanced techniques to manipulate and mislead people.

But it's not just about individual vulnerabilities or evolving fraud tactics. Beneath the surface lies a deeper issue: systemic compliance lapses. Weak enforcement of onboarding norms, gaps in merchant verification and inconsistent application of regulatory protocols are creating blind spots across the payments ecosystem.

Addressing these structural flaws is just as important as strengthening frontline defences, especially if we hope to build a secure and resilient digital financial system. Against this backdrop, institutions are turning to artificial intelligence for proactive threat detection, automated incident response and adaptive risk modelling.

Financial institutions and regulatory bodies are already turning to AI and machine learning (ML) technologies. The Reserve Bank of India has introduced MuleHunter.AI to detect and eliminate mule accounts, which are often instrumental in fraudulent financial schemes.

Additionally, the National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) has launched a pilot project implementing a federated AI model in collaboration with leading banks to enhance fraud detection and risk assessment across the banking ecosystem. Mastercard's decision intelligence platform analyses 16,000 crore transactions annually, assigning risk scores in milliseconds to block unauthorised activity.

Some of the key roles of AI-driven models include threat detection and prevention through anomaly detection and behavioural analysis for recognising suspicious actions. With ML algorithms, AI models continuously monitor transactions and detect unusual activities. It also consists of automated incident response systems. With these systems, AI-based cybersecurity models can execute predefined responses by quickly recognising cyber incidents with AI-powered security orchestration, automation and response or SOAR systems. This incident response significantly minimises the damage before it escalates.

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With the growth of digital transactions, frauds have also grown manifold—including those driven by AI tools. While the RBI and National Payments Corporation are deploying AI to detect and prevent threats, systemic compliance lapses can also be fixed with the help of AI to strengthen the system

Further, AI-powered endpoint security solutions and antivirus provide protection from phishing attacks. AI models continuously adapt to detect new and emerging threats, ensuring real-time protection. For instance, the RBI's AI/ML-based system has been designed to detect mule accounts that are used for phishing scams, enhancing accuracy and speed in detection and ultimately preventing fraudulent transactions.

Complementing these key elements can judiciously detect evolving threats. Natural language processing that can recognise phishing emails and malicious web links, and deep learning that can identify advanced persistent threats.

RBI's MuleHunter.AI and NPCI's federated AI model trial signify a pivotal shift toward collaborative, data-driven security frameworks. Coupled with Indian Computer Emergency Response Team's mandated real-time incident reporting and RBI's exclusive '.bank.in' domain directive, these initiatives illustrate how AI can fill critical visibility gaps.

However, AI adoption faces a few key challenges. AI-generated threats aren't easy to spot even with advanced detection models. While the need for large datasets for training AI models raises privacy concerns, using limited data may lead to false positives by unfairly flagging legal activities or vice versa. There is also a growing risk of adversarial AI, wherein attackers can manipulate open AI models by feeding deceptive information.

In the future, financial institutions must adopt strategies such as AI-driven zero trust architecture, an approach that demands rigorous verification of all users, systems and processes; with trust never assumed but consistently earned. Additionally, establishing a robust multi-stakeholder approach with integrated efforts spanning across regulators, financial institutions and technology providers would be crucial in ensuring that technological innovation is not undermined by vulnerabilities, and that trust in the financial system remains intact.

(Views are personal)

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Russian gains

Ref: *There is no logic to Trump's secondary tariffs anymore* (Aug 20). While the Alaska meet concluded indecisively, Russia successfully came out of isolation caused by the US sanctions. As a triangular meet is still on the cards, a pause on tariffs imposed on countries for buying Russian oil should be inherent.

N R Nagarajan, Virudhunagar

Unearthing evidence

Ref: *Set politics aside in mass burials probe* (Aug 20). The Dharmasthala mass burials case demands an inquiry free from political and religious pressure. Though little evidence has surfaced, families still report missing persons—fuelling suspicion. The SIT must act quickly, for justice delayed is justice denied. Only fairness and science can reveal the truth.

M Barathi, email

Insurance vigilance

Ref: *Cover when needed* (Aug 20). With many claims denied, regulators must enforce fairness. Proposal forms, often complex and in tiny print, should be simplified, and insurers must carefully check them during registration to prevent disputes and protect policyholders.

A Senthil Kumar, Tiruppur

Propping banks

Ref: *Too big to fail isn't too clever to regulate* (Aug 20). Privatising banks through writing off bad corporate loans and eventually gaining control will not sustain in the long run. It would be at the cost of small and medium range depositors. Strict financial discipline by the regulator is needed to build trust among depositors.

Jayachandran C, email

Misguided Tiger

Ref: *Beyond Tigerism in Sri Lanka* (Aug 20). Egged on by self-serving acolytes in Sri Lanka and Tamil Nadu, Velupillai Prabhakaran developed megalomaniac tendencies and frittered away the opportunities that lay in front of him for a peaceful solution of the Eelam issue. Consequently, he and his misguided followers paid a heavy price.

M V Sundararaman, Chennai

Veep balance

Ref: *Ex-judge Reddy is Oppn's VP pick* (Aug 20). The INDIA bloc has demonstrated to the nation at large that it is no less than the NDA when it comes to making sagacious political moves. At least linguistic fanaticism would take a back seat in the matter.

S Ramakrishnasayee, email

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POSTS OF THE DAY

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...difference between policies & principles of Congress & BJP. On one hand, there is privilege for power; on the other, equality & accountability in national interest

Mahua Moitra @MahuaMoitra
New bill bypasses both federal structure & judiciary – Centre can use ED, CBI to arrest elected opposition CM on fake charges & sack them WITHOUT proven guilty...

Aaditya Thackeray @AUThackeray
Blood & water cannot flow together, but for BCCI, blood & revenue can flow together... NCERT has added a chapter on Pahalgham... send BCCI officials this textbook

Says bill seeks to ensure those jailed cannot hold key posts ● 'Elected person can be thrown out within 30 days'

'People will decide': Shah mounts attack on Oppn

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

Amit Shah speaks in the Lok Sabha during Monsoon session, on Wednesday | SANSAD TV

AMID a ruckus in the Lok Sabha on Wednesday as Home Minister Amit Shah introduced a Bill aimed at bringing the Prime Minister, Chief Ministers, and Union or state ministers under the ambit of law, Shah launched a sharp attack on the Congress-led Opposition, saying the people of the country must decide whether it is right for a leader to run the government while in jail.

Shah said the Constitution Amendment Bill, tabled with the consent of the Lok Sabha Speaker, seeks to ensure key constitutional positions cannot be held by those who are incarcerated. "Now, the people of the country will have to decide whether it is right for a minister, CM, or PM to run the government while lodged in jail," he said, highlighting the Modi government's commitment to fighting political corruption.

Targetting the Congress, Shah accused the Opposition of opposing the Bill to remain above the law. Shah said Prime Minister Modi has introduced a constitutional amendment to bring himself under the ambit of the law, while on the other, the Opposition has opposed it to continue running governments from behind bars.

He cited past instances, including the 39th Constitutional Amendment under Indira Gandhi, which gave the Prime Minister special protection against legal action. "While the Congress's work culture and policy have been to place the prime minister above the law through constitutional amendments, the BJP's policy is to bring our own prime minister, ministers and chief ministers under the ambit of law," Shah asserted.

The Home Minister said the purpose of the Bill is to restore moral standards and integrity in politics. Among its provisions, it bars jailed individuals from functioning as PM, CM, or minister. Accused politicians must secure bail within 30 days of arrest. If they fail, they will cease to hold their position, though they may be reinstated once granted bail through due legal process.

Shah also addressed personal remarks made against him in the House, saying he had resigned from his post even before being arrested in a politically-motivated case, which was later dismissed. He contrasted his conduct with that of Congress leaders, citing instances where they shielded leaders like Lalu Prasad Yadav from legal action.

The Home Minister reiterated that the Bill reflects the Modi government's commitment to moral governance and public accountability. The Bill will now go to the Joint Parliamentary Committee for detailed discussion, he added.

'Back to medieval times': Rahul on bill to remove PM, CMs

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

LEADER of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi on Wednesday tore into three new bills that allow the Prime Minister and chief ministers of states and union territories – to be removed if they have been jailed on 'serious criminal charges' for 30 consecutive days.

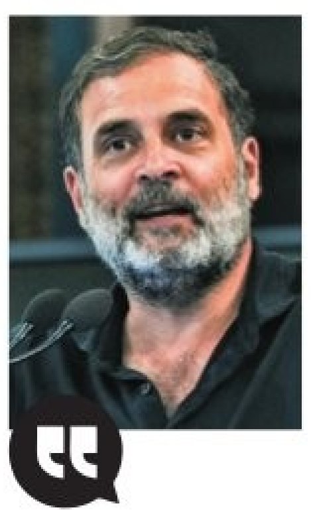
Coming down heavily on the new Bills, Gandhi said the bills are taking the country back to medieval times and there is a lot of noise on BJP's new move. "We are going back to medieval times when the king could just remove anybody at his will... If the BJP government didn't like someone's face, it could ask the ED to get them arrested, and a democratically elected person can be thrown out within 30 days," he said.

The Congress MP claimed, the BJP, after "stealing" Haryana and Maharashtra elections, will be able to "steal" Bihar polls but the public will not allow that to happen.

Gandhi, who is at the forefront of attack against the Election Commission (EC) alleging 'vote theft' and poll rigging, said that the fight is to protect the Constitution. "There is a war going on between those who are attacking the Constitution and those who are defending it," said the Congress leader, speaking at a meeting of the Opposition MPs.

Referring to the abrupt resignation of Jagdeep Dhankhar from the Vice President last month, Gandhi said, Gandhi said, "Just yesterday I was having a conversation with somebody and I said, you know, where is the old vice president gone? He's gone"

The Congress leader alleged there was a "big story" behind it. "Some of you might know it, some of you might not know it, but there's a story behind it, and then there's a story about why he's in hiding," Gandhi said.



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Rahul Gandhi

'Dhankhar in hiding'

Gandhi said there was a "story" behind Dhankhar stepping down, and wondered why the former vice president of India is in a situation where "he cannot say a word" and "has to hide". "Why is he in hiding?" Gandhi questioned at the central hall of Samvidhan Sadan.

CSDS show-caused over 'fudging' Maha poll data amid 'vote theft' claims

MUKESH RANJAN @ New Delhi

THE Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) has issued a show cause notice to the Centre for the Study of Developing Societies (CSDS) for allegedly fudging data while presenting a comparative voting patterns in two assembly segments in Maharashtra for the 2024 Lok Sabha and Assembly elections. This comes amid the political drama over the 'Vote Chori' campaign by Congress MP Rahul Gandhi.

The ICSSR operates under the aegis of the Ministry of Education and is the Centre's top body for research in social and human sciences, and the CSDS is supported by it.

In a post on X, the ICSSR said, "It has come to the notice that an individual holding responsible position at CSDS, an ICSSR-funded research institute, has made media statements that had to be retracted subsequently citing glitches in data analysis, regarding elections in Maharashtra." It went on to add that the institute has published media stories based on biased interpretation of the SIR exercise in Bihar by the Election Commission (EC).

"This is a gross violation of the Grant-in-Aid rules of ICSSR, and ICSSR shall issue a Show Cause Notice to the Institute," the ICSSR said, noting that it "takes serious cognisance of the data manipulation by CSDS and its attempt to create a narrative with the intention of undermining the sanctity of the poll panel.

Sanjay Kumar, professor, and co-director of Lokniti, a research wing of the CSDS, in his now-deleted X post on August 17 claimed that Nashik West's electorate had swelled from 3,28,053 in the Lok Sabha rolls to 4,83,459 in the Assembly rolls, around 47.38%. For Hingna, he claimed the increase was 42.08%. These figures suggested abnormal and implausible growth. They were promptly amplified by opposition leaders as they questioned the credibility of the EC.

However, on August 19 Kumar issued a public apology: "Error occurred while comparing data of 2024 LS and 2024 AS. The data in row was misread... no intention of dispersing any form of misinformation."

V-P ELECTION

PM Modi with NDA's vice presidential candidate CP Radhakrishnan and others, hands over four sets of nomination papers to the returning officer | X

Radhakrishnan will be an oustanding V-P, says Modi

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

CP RADHAKRISHNAN, the NDA's candidate, on Wednesday filed his nomination for the vice-presidential election in the presence of Prime Minister and other Union Ministers. The PM formally proposed the nomination of Radhakrishnan as the NDA's Vice-Presidential candidate and submitted a set of nomination papers to the Rajya Sabha Secretary for the post.

Prior to filing his nomination, the NDA candidate visited the Prerna Sthal to pay tribute to Mahatma Gandhi and other leaders. Prime Minister Modi, accompanied by Radhakrishnan and other senior leaders, handed over four sets of nomination papers to RS Secretary General P C Mody, who is serving as the Returning Officer for the vice-presidential election. Each of the four sets of nomination papers had a key NDA leader as lead proposer — the Prime Minister, Defence Minister Rajnath Singh, Home Minister Amit Shah, and JD(U) leader Rajiv Ranjan Singh.

After the filing of nomination, the PM expressed confidence that their candidate would not only win the election but also contribute significantly to the nation's progress. Taking to X, the PM said, "The NDA family is confident he will be an outstanding VP and enrich our journey towards national progress".

Rajnath Singh, also present during the nomination filing, said Radhakrishnan is known for his humility, and his understanding of the Constitution and legislative processes.

Congress chief Mallikarjun Kharge felicitates joint Opposition's V-P candidate B Sudershan Reddy at the central hall of Samvidhan Sadan | PTI

Nation needs an impartial judge like Reddy: Kharge

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

AHEAD of his filing nomination for the Vice Presidential elections on Thursday, Leaders of several opposition parties felicitated their joint V-P candidate B Sudershan Reddy in the central hall of old Parliament on Wednesday.

Introducing Reddy, a retired Supreme Court judge, Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge said the opposition parties decided to field someone who has been dedicated to constitutional principles and Reddy is one such person. Kharge described Reddy as a 'towering figure' in Indian jurisprudence and said he is renowned for his unwavering commitment to justice.

He said at a time when the integrity of our democratic institutions is facing unprecedented challenges, Reddy's nomination stands as a firm commitment to restoring fairness, impartiality, and dignity to the functioning of the Rajya Sabha.

The Congress chief said in the last 11 years, the BJP government has discriminated against the Opposition. "This vice presidential election is not merely a contest for an office; it is an ideological battle for the soul of our nation. While the ruling party has chosen the ideology of RSS, we uphold the Constitution and its values as our guiding light.

"B Sudershan Reddy embodies the timeless values of justice, equality, and inclusivity that fuelled India's freedom movement and form the bedrock of our Constitution," he said.

SC: Sitting on bills will leave elected govt at Guv's whims

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY
@ New Delhi

ON the second day of the hearing in the Presidential reference case on Wednesday, the Supreme Court observed that in case a governor has the power to permanently withhold assent to the Bills passed by the State legislature, the situation might arise that would leave the elected State government at the whims and fancies of an unelected governor.

"Would we not be giving total powers to the governor to sit in over appeals. The government elected with the majority will be at the whims and fancies of governor," observed Chief Justice B R Gavai, leading the five-judge Constitution bench.

The top court passed the remark after the Solicitor General Tushar Mehta, appearing for the Centre, argued that the governor under Article 200 of the Constitution can withhold assent to a Bill, making it "fall through" with no option to send it back to the legislature.

The Court opined that the governor will then have ample powers to sit over Bills and withhold them for time immemorial. Mehta, however, replied that everyone derives power from the Constitution.

The Union government argued in favour of discretionary powers assigned to the governor and said setting timelines for considering Bills could lead to a reduction in the constitutional power of the post.

"The governor is not a postman. He represents the Union of India (Centre). He is appointed by the president, who is, in turn, elected by the nation by way of an indirect election. The governor's office will be reduced to a postman if he cannot use his discretion to withhold Bills," said the SG.

Citing constitutional debates and the draft Constitution, Mehta submitted that the governor, under the substantive part of Article 200, can simply 'withhold assent' to a Bill, if he believes that the Bill is unconstitutional and beyond any remedial changes. The arguments in the case would continue on Thursday.

On April 8, the top court, while hearing the case of Tamil Nadu vs Governor R N Ravi, held that the governor must act within three months if withholding assent or reserving a Bill, and within one month when a Bill is re-enacted.

ALSO IN TOP COURT

'Accused can't rot in jail without fair trial'

An accused cannot be allowed to languish in jail without being given a fair and speedy trial, the Supreme Court said on Wednesday in a UAPA case. The bench, directed the trial court to expedite the trial and conclude it within two years considering there were over 100 witnesses to be examined by the prosecution.

'Now out of wedlock, egos should vanish'

The Court on Wednesday dissolved a couple's marriage and asked them to look after their minor child, noting their egos should "vanish" now the wedlock was over. The bench, noting it disliked granting divorces, told the couple, "There is ego in marriage. Once there is no marriage, the ego should vanish. Now look after the child."

Parliamentary panel bats for DGCA autonomy, lists out safety concerns

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

NOTING that the Directorate General of Civil Aviation, at present, is not in a position to discharge the duties for which it was established, the standing committee on transport, tourism and culture has recommended "full administrative and financial autonomy" for the civil aviation regulator.

In its report "Overall Review of Safety in the Civil Aviation Sector" presented in the Upper House on Wednesday, the panel highlighted crucial issues such as Air Traffic Controller (ATC) fatigue, safety deficiencies, operational overload, lacking infrastructure and staff deficits.

Autonomy is imperative to address critical technical staff shortages caused by an ineffective recruitment model, a problem highlighted by past expert committees but never resolved, the committee, headed by JD(U) MP Sanjay Kumar Jha, noted.

Strenghthen enforcement

Emphasising strengthening surveillance and enforcement mechanisms, the panel advocated for establishment of a time bound mechanism for the closure of all safety deficiencies, and implementing stronger enforcement actions including penalties for non-compliance.

As per the data presented to the Committee, out of a total sanctioned strength of 1,063 posts, only 553 are filled. "The alternative channel, recruiting personnel on deputation, has proven equally ineffective, particularly for sourcing talent from the Indian Air Force. Experienced Air Force officers are unwilling to join the DGCA on deputation because doing so entails a significant loss of service benefits and allowances, rendering the proposition financially unattractive. Consequently, posts reserved for this vital stream of expertise remain chronically unfilled," read the report, where the panel identified 12 key areas requiring systemic improvement to ensure the continued safety and sustainable growth of India's civil aviation sector.

This report assumes significance as in wake of the Air India plane crash in Ahmedabad that killed 260 people on June 12. However, the incident didn't find mention in the report.

The panel suggested development of a national Fatigue Risk Management System for ATCs and a comprehensive staffing audit to end the persistent and high-risk practice of seeking exemptions from mandatory duty time limitations.

Referring to a series of accidents involving coppers during the recent Char Dham Yatra, it also called for standardising safety protocols – uniform national regulatory framework – for helicopter operations.

NGT seeks action on coal-based sponge iron units

JITENDRA CHOUBEY @ New Delhi

THE National Green Tribunal (NGT) has directed the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) to respond within a month to a report by IIT-Kharagpur which has raised grave environmental concerns over the use of coal-based rotary kiln technology in steel manufacturing.

IIT-Kharagpur submitted a report to the NGT, recommending the complete phasing out of small to medium and lower capacity coal-based sponge iron or Direct Reduced Iron (DRI) plants. These plants are primarily concentrated in Jharkhand, Odisha, West Bengal, Chhattisgarh, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, and Tamil Nadu.

This recommendation aims to mitigate carbon emissions. The report suggests that the government should not grant any environmental clearance to such units. The DRI process is highly energy-intensive, using coal to remove impurities and produce sponge iron. It is called 'sponge' because the removal of oxygen creates tiny holes, giving it a spongy appearance under a microscope.

In addition, the report. titled "Decarbonizing Coal-based Rotary Kiln Steel Sector in India" advises providing support to larger plants with capacities exceeding 500 tonnes per day (tpd). These plants are more efficient and can be improved further through retrofitting with new technology.

The IIT prepared this report in response to environmental concerns raised by the NGT regarding coal-based rotary kiln technology used in steel manufacturing. Following the report, the NGT directed the CPCB to respond within one month.

Currently, smaller DRI plants lead to carbon emissions at a rate of 4.1 tonnes of CO_2 per tonne of sponge iron, as compared to the global average of 1.9 tonnes of CO_2 per tonne. This situation challenges India's efforts to meet the goals set by the Paris Agreement in 2015 to curb global warming.

The report indicates that there is limited potential to enhance the capacity and efficiency of these smaller plants. "This is a critical time for India to ban granting environmental clearance to any new (greenfield) or existing (brownfield) coal-based sponge iron production through rotary kilns, as these processes are carbon-intensive, visibly polluting, and pose serious health risks to both workers and surrounding communities," the report says.

It recommends the government establish short-term, medium-term, and long-term goals for these DRI plants to reduce CO_2 emissions and enhance their sustainability. It also suggests installation of Waste Heat Recovery plants and tech interventions to curb pollution.

'PHASING OUT' DRI PLANTS

India heavily reliant on steel production through coal-based (DRI) process which accounts for around **80%** of overall production

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Ban granting environmental clearance to any new or existing coal-based sponge iron production through rotary kilns, as these processes are carbon-intensive – IIT report

REPORT SUGGESTS

Complete phasing out of lower capacity DRI plants to mitigate carbon emissions

Short, medium, and long-term goals for DRI plants to reduce CO2 emissions, enhance sustainability

PIGEON FIGHTS

An FIR has been registered against 150 people for staging a protest at Dadar Kabutarkhana to oppose the Mumbai civic body's attempt to stop pigeon-feeding at the spot, police said on Wednesday.

4 MIGRANT LABOURERS KILLED AS VAN RAMS INTO TRUCK IN HARYANA

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	28	25	Mumbai	28	27
Bhopal	26	23	Panaji	29	26
Jaipur	29	26	Patna	31	27
Amritsar	34	27	Lucknow	32	27
Chennai	34	27	Port Blair	29	27
Kolkata	30	26	Imphal	27	22
Srinagar	28	18	Chandigarh	32	26

● Mumbai records highest rainfall, 18 NDRF teams deployed for relief ops ● 45 villages in Ferozepur submerged after dam collapse in Pak

Ten dead, 4K displaced as Maha rain wreaks havoc

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ Mumbai

HEAVY rains over the past two days have displaced 4,143 people across Maharashtra, taking the lives of 10 people in various parts of the state. In the last 24 hours, the highest rainfall was reported in Mumbai suburbs, Thane, Raigad, Mumbai city, and Ratnagiri.

Raigad district reported the highest displacement of 1,332 people, followed by Thane (610), Sangli (471), Palghar (438), Satara (361), Kurla – Kranti Nagar (350), Nanded (293), and Pune (212). Most affected people are temporarily staying with relatives, in schools, college premises, or community halls, where food, blankets, water, and medicines are being provided. According to the state disaster management report, on August 19, ten people lost their lives and two were injured in incidents including wall collapses, drowning, tree falls, and landslides. Additionally, 52 animals died across the state due to the heavy rain.

Mumbai and the surrounding areas saw the heaviest rainfall, with 32 electric short-circuit cases reported in the city. One 17-year-old, Deepak Pillai, died in Bhandup. Tree-falling incidents reached 93, with 27 in South Mumbai, 23 in the eastern suburbs, and 42 in the western suburbs. There were also 14 house collapses, four in Mumbai city, seven in the eastern suburbs, and three in the western suburbs.

Despite the havoc, there is a silver lining for Mumbaikars, as four reservoirs supplying the city—Modak Sagar, Tansa, Tulsi, and Vihas Dam—have begun overflowing, boosting the water supply.

The state has deployed 18 NDRF teams to rescue stranded people. Deputy Chief Minister Ajit Pawar reviewed the situation on Wednesday. He urged local authorities to provide full support to displaced residents and relocate people in high-risk areas. He also directed revenue officers to conduct the "panchanam" of damaged crops promptly, so that farmers can receive timely compensation.

Affected families put up in schools, community halls

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Kinnaur Kailash Yatra called off amid downpour

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

THE Kinnaur Kailash Yatra has been called off with immediate effect due to incessant rain. A pilgrim from Uttar Pradesh died after a shooting stone hit him on the yatra route, taking the toll to five to date.

Sources said the pilgrim has been identified as Gaurav, 31, from Aditya World City in Ghaziabad. The accident occurred between Maling Khata and Ganesh Gufa. He succumbed by the time the police could reach him. Superintendent of Police of Kinnaur Abhishek Shekhar appealed to the people not to undertake the yatra as the district was facing heavy rains and erratic weather.

An official order issued Tuesday by Deputy Commissioner of Kinnaur, Dr Amit Kumar Sharma, stated that to prevent further risks, the yatra has been cancelled with immediate effect under the Disaster Management Act, 2005, until further orders. Any pilgrim attempting the journey will be escorted back to the base camp.

Action will be taken against violators under the Disaster Management Act. He said more rain and cloudy weather were predicted in the next five to seven days. Precautionary steps were necessary to ensure people's safety. The yatra began on July 15 and was scheduled to continue till August 30.

BSF steps up border vigil on boats as Sutlej waters inundate Punjab villages

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

THE BSF has intensified boat and foot patrols along the Indo-Pak border after floodwaters from the Sutlej River entered Indian territory, marooning villages and even a Border Out Post (BoP). The water rushed in after the Dhusi Bandh on the Pakistani side collapsed on Tuesday, leaving large tracts of land submerged.

Over 15,000 acres of farmland across nearly 45 villages in Ferozepur district lie underwater. Villages such as Gatti Rajo Ke on the zero line, Nihala Lavera, Dheera Ghara, Kutabdeen Wala, Ruknewala, and Kamala Bodla remain cut off. The Satpal BoP of BSF was also surrounded by water despite efforts to block the flow with sandbags. In Fazilka, villages close to the zero line, including Mohar Jamsher, Dona Nanka, and Teja Rohella, have seen their fields inundated, though habitations remain safe. Locals recalled that floods struck last year as well, when Pakistan released water into the Sutlej.

With physical barriers weakened, the floods have damaged sections of the border fencing, raising fears of infiltration and smuggling. To counter this, BSF has strengthened patrols and held meetings with police and villagers, urging vigilance against drug smugglers or miscreants taking advantage of the situation.

Further complicating matters, the crisis deepened with rising levels in the Pong and Bhakra dams. On Sunday, 45,000 cusecs of water were released from Bhakra after the level touched 1,665 feet, three feet above the prescribed mark. Pong dam levels also remain high, forcing controlled water release. Authorities have warned people along the Sutlej banks to stay away.

Dhiraghara is a border village with roads and farms submerged. Schools are closed. Fodder shortage threatens livestock. Authorities are distributing chlorine tablets and antiseptics to prevent the spread of diseases. In Bandala village, residents have temporarily reinforced the embankments, but the water level continues to rise.

Youth held in Jaisalmer over spying for Pak

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

INVESTIGATION agencies in Rajasthan have arrested a young suspect on charges of espionage in the Army area along the Jaisalmer–Jodhpur road. Twenty-five-year-old Jeevan Khan was arrested on Tuesday while allegedly speaking to a Pakistani.

Officials said several other Pakistani contacts were found saved in his mobile phone. He will be handed over to the Joint Investigation Committee for interrogation. According to sources, Khan had earlier worked at a restaurant in the Army area two to three years ago and had recently returned to take up work again. He had been on the agencies' radar for a long time, with his calls and movements under close surveillance. During Tuesday's action, officials intercepted him while he was on a call with a Pakistani number.

Following Operation Sindoor, security agencies have intensified their vigilance in Rajasthan's border areas, keeping a strict watch on individuals suspected of maintaining links with Pakistan. It may be noted that this is the third espionage arrest after Operation Sindoor and the fourth such case reported this year.

Class 10 student stabbed to death by junior in Gujarat; irate parents storm school

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA
@ Ahmedabad

A Class 10 student from Seventh Day School, Khokhra, was fatally stabbed in broad daylight on Tuesday by a Class 8 student. The attack sent shockwaves across the city and exposed severe lapses in school security and discipline.

At school dismissal, a heated argument broke out. Afterward, the accused, holding a sharp lab instrument shaped like a gun, stabbed the victim in the stomach near the Maniasha Society gate, just steps from the school. The victim, a Ghodasar resident, managed to run toward the back of the compound before collapsing. Fellow students rushed him to Sardar Patel Hospital. He succumbed to his injuries early Wednesday.

An eyewitness, a Class 10 student from the same school, recounted the horror to local media: "I heard a commotion and ran inside. The attacker had just plunged a physics lab tool into his stomach. It's a sharp device used to measure small objects. I saw it all. He pulled it out and bolted. No security guard moved a muscle. They just stood and watched."

As the injured student lay bleeding, another student immediately lifted him into a rickshaw, as school staff failed to assist. The incident has since drawn widespread condemnation. Sources revealed a disturbing back story. A week before the attack, the assailant had a stairwell dispute with the victim's cousin, also a student at the school. Investigators believe the murder may have been a premeditated act of revenge. It was carried out with chilling precision in front of five to seven other students.

The victim's family, upon learning of his death, stormed the school campus and vandalised property. They also assaulted staff, accusing them of criminal negligence and cover-ups—warnings were ignored, no one intervened, and campus safety failed to act.

Crowds swell as Rahul yatra raises pitch over Bihar SIR

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

THE ongoing 16-day, 3,000-km Yatra of Congress leader Rahul Gandhi has been drawing massive crowds in Bihar, with people lining the roads, waving flags, and cheering him. Hundreds of young people were seen clicking selfies, while Rahul himself appeared overwhelmed by the response.

On Tuesday, the Yatra moved from Gaya towards Nawada and Sheikhpura. In Nawada, Rahul addressed a public meeting on the third day of the march before continuing his journey. The programme has been running behind schedule, as Rahul makes frequent unscheduled halts to meet people personally. Some, however, were left disappointed. "I wanted to take a selfie with Rahul Gandhi, but could not because of the rush. I don't know if I'll ever get the chance again," said Sangeeta Kumari, 21, a student from Nawada. Her cousin Raj Kishore, a 24-year-old UPSC aspirant, was luckier. "I jostled with Congress workers to get close. The security was tight, but I managed to take a photo with him," he said.

Both Nawada and Sheikhpura were decorated with the flags of the INDIA bloc partners in a show of solidarity. Rahul was accompanied by RJD's Tejashwi Yadav, CPI-ML's Dipankar Bhattacharya, and VIP leader Mukesh Sahani. Women in large numbers turned up near the welcome arches. Traders and farmers travelled from far-off areas to see him. "It feels like a dream come true," said Pappu Kumar, 38, a small trader from Barbigha.

Gandhi, Tejashwi Yadav, Bhattacharya, and Sahani were accorded a warm welcome by district unit workers of the Opposition alliance. "I have heard about Rahul Gandhi, but I never got a chance to meet him. He is raising the issue of manipulation of votes by the BJP in the upcoming election," remarked Ganesh Ram, a resident of Barbigha. Dipankar Bhattacharya told reporters that the Yatra has raised hopes among people. "It is not just about elections, but about change in governance," he said.

During a stopover, Rahul invited a local youth, Subodh Kumar, to share his grievance. Kumar alleged that his name was deleted from the voter's list despite his having voted last year. Rahul accused the BJP of "stealing votes" in partnership with the Election Commission. "We will not let them steal a single vote from Bihar," he told the cheering crowd.

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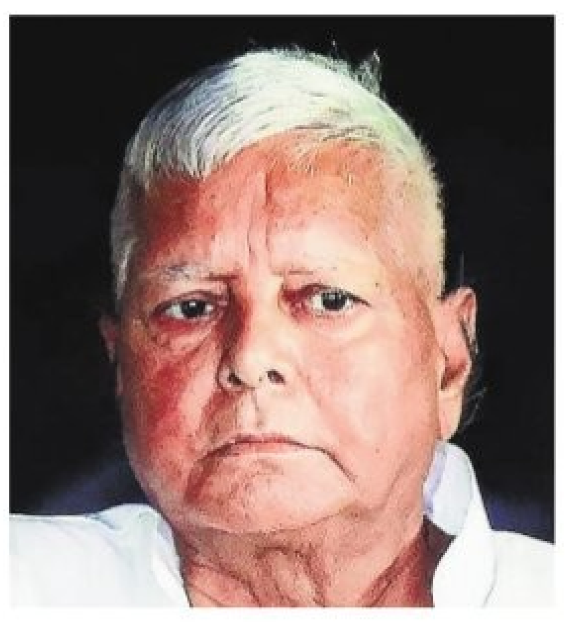
Lalu exhorts voters to unseat 'chor' BJP govt

RJD chief Lalu Prasad took a jibe at the BJP, referring to it as 'thieves'. "Chor ko hataiye, BJP ko bhagaiye, aur hume jitaiye (remove the thieves, make BJP run away and help us win)," Lalu said at the launch of 'Vote Adhikar Yatra' from Sasaram in Rohtas district. He appealed to the electorate to remove the BJP from power at any cost. He declared that only a united Opposition could topple the BJP, urging everyone to rally behind Rahul Gandhi and Tejashwi Yadav, uproot the ruling combine to save democracy. Despite his poor health, Lalu stood up from his chair and addressed the crowd, leaving his political rivals visibly unsettled.



Ex-minister Nagmani joins saffron party

The BJP is making all-out efforts to retain OBC and EBC votes ahead of the Assembly elections. Former Union minister and prominent Kushwaha leader Nagmani joined the BJP, vowing lifelong loyalty. His dramatic pledge sent a ripple of surprise through the crowd at the 'Milan Samaroh' as he had changed political parties 11 times in the past. Son of a former freedom fighter, late Jagdeo Prasad, Nagmani claimed that Kushwaha votes will go in favour of the NDA in the assembly election as all three prominent Kushwaha leaders—Samrat Choudhary, Upendra Kushwaha, and Nagmani—have come together before elections.

Jain temples among tourist destinations

Places like Vaishali, Ara, Patna, Rajgir, Pavapuri, and Champapuri will be developed as the Tirthankar circuit of Bihar under the Swadesh Darshan Yojana of the Union Government. These religious places, related to Lord Mahavir's life, will be included in the project, which will cost ₹33.96 crore. Ajay Mandal, MP, raised a question in the Lok Sabha about promoting Jain temples of Bihar, including in Bhagalpur, as tourist destinations. The Jain Tirthankar Circuit in Bihar encompasses significant sites related to Jainism, particularly those associated with lord Mahavir and other Tirthankars.

MP woman who disappeared to avoid marriage found at Indo-Nepal border

ANURAAG SINGH @ Bhopal

A lawyer from Madhya Pradesh, **Archana Tiwari**, 29, who went missing from a train on August 7, was traced near the Indo-Nepal border 12 days later and brought back to Bhopal. She had staged her own disappearance to escape family pressure to get married.

Archana, a resident of Katni and posted in Indore, was travelling home for Raksha Bandhan on the Indore-Bilaspur Narmada Express when she vanished. Her bag and belongings were found on the seat, sparking fears that she had fallen off the train. Police launched a massive search, scanning over 2,000 CCTV clips, combing forests with drones, and even searching the Narmada River.

Investigators later realised it was no accident. Digital evidence showed Archana had been in touch with Saransh Jokchand, a drone start-up operator from Indore, and his friend Tejindar Singh, who was already wanted in a fraud case. With Singh's help, Archana slipped out of Itarsi railway station through CCTV blind spots.

From there, she and Saransh moved between Shujalpur, Indore, Burhanpur, and Hyderabad, before heading to Jodhpur and Delhi. On August 14, they crossed into Nepal, where Archana began living in Kathmandu under the name Sapna. Her plan was to stay underground for a few months and later return to prepare for judicial service exams.

The cover was blown when Singh was arrested in Delhi and admitted his role. Saransh, re-questioned by police, revealed the full story and helped connect officers to Archana. Convinced to return, she flew to Dhangadhi and crossed into Uttar Pradesh's Lakhimpur Kheri district, from where she was escorted back.

Police said Archana had carefully planned the escape, even throwing her phone into the Midghat forests to create an illusion of tragedy. While officers spent days chasing her trail, they admitted that no crime had been committed. "She is an adult and nothing untoward happened," said GRP Bhopal SP Rahul Lodha.

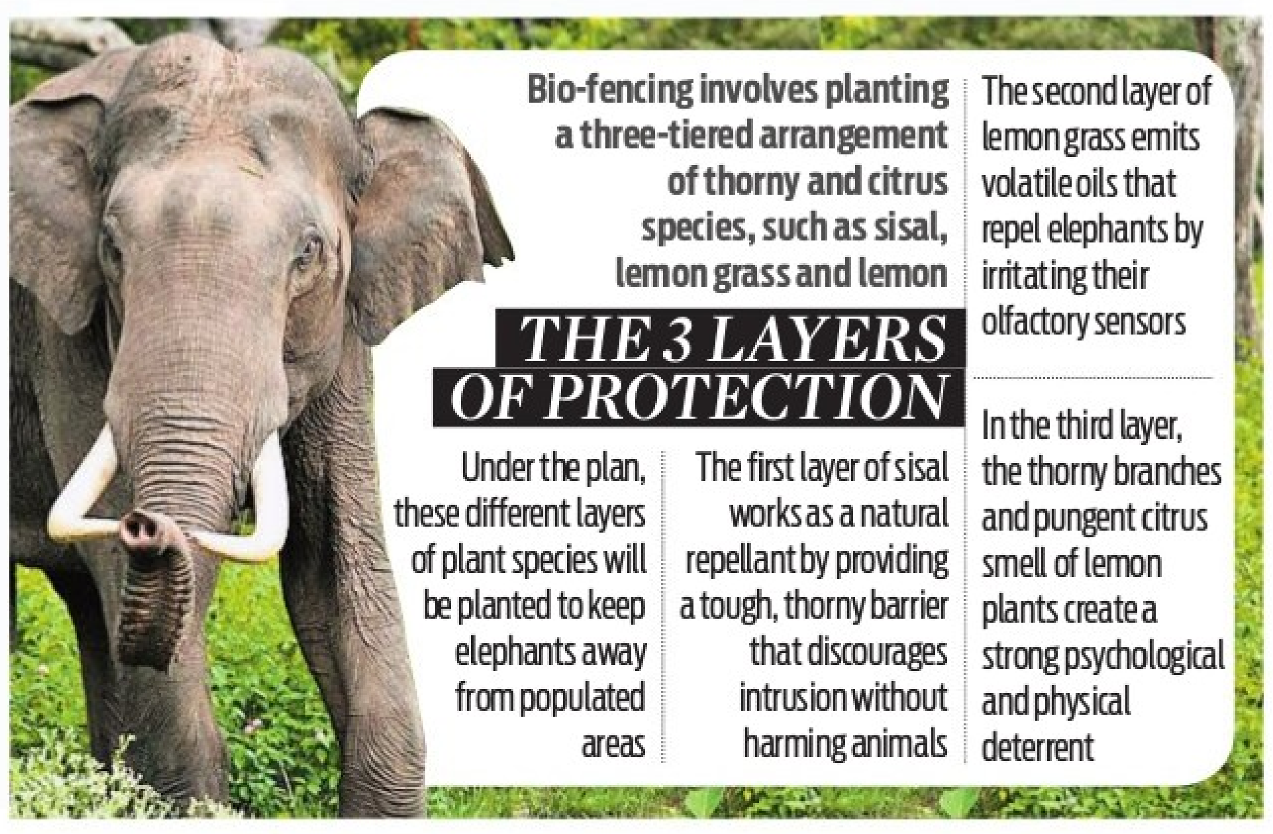
Bio-fencing to check man-animal conflict in PTR

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

IN a first-of-its-kind initiative in Jharkhand, villages located in Palamu Tiger Reserve (PTR) will be protected with biological fence (bio-fencing) to prevent man-elephant conflict.

PTR officials have devised an innovative approach to prevent man-animal conflict by introducing bio-fencing around the villages, under which, different layers of plant species will be planted to keep away elephants from populated areas. Bio-fencing involves planting a three-tiered arrangement of thorny and citrus species, such as sisal, lemon grass and lemon.

"First layer of sisal plant works as a natural repellant by providing a tough, thorny barrier that discourages intrusion without harming animals, while the second layer of lemon grass emits volatile oils that repel elephants by irritating their olfactory sensors. Similarly, in the third layer, the thorny branches and pungent citrus smell of lemon plant create a strong psychological and physical deterrent," said PTR Deputy Director, Prajesh Kant Jena.



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THE 3 LAYERS OF PROTECTION

Under the plan, these different layers of plant species will be planted to keep elephants away from populated areas

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Further, bio-fencing is low-maintenance, self-regenerating, and environmentally safe, he added. Jena further added that the idea behind growing such plants is that these plants can act as a natural barrier to stop elephants from entering human settlements. The plants also offer long-term income potential through fiber, essential oils, and fruit markets, aligning conservation with rural development, he said.

Besides, these plants require low maintenance and are also economically beneficial for the villagers. The PTR Deputy Director informed that this pilot project in Betla Range is potentially the first of its kind in the state, and may serve as a replicable blueprint for other conflict-prone landscapes in Jharkhand and beyond.

"The bio-fencing is expected to significantly reduce elephant intrusions into farmlands, mitigating crop loss and human-wildlife conflict in fringe villages of the Betla Range," said Jena, adding that the project was conceptualised not only as an eco-friendly solution to human-elephant conflict but also as a model for community-based economic empowerment. The selection of plant species was based on their dual utility.

The Eco Development Committee is responsible for planting and managing these lemon plants, which may be also be used for commercial purposes, boosting local economy.

In addition to the bio-fencing, the PTR is also introducing solar-powered lighting in elephant corridors to improve safety for both the animals and nearby communities.

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE

Tender No : Re-tender No: SE/PHC/KKD/04/2025-26

Annual Operation & Maintenance of intake well & pumping station and 174 MLD Water Treatment Plant at Peruvannamuzhi - Ponmala Hills for One year Constructed under JICA Assisted Kerala Water Supply Project. EMD: Rs. 200000; Tender fee: Rs. 11025+GST; Last Date for submitting Tender: 08-09-2025, 04:00:pm; Phone: 0495 2371046 ; Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

Superintending Engineer
PH Circle, Kozhikode

KWA-JB-GL-6-295-2025-26

Tamil Nadu Power Generation Corporation Ltd

Notice Inviting Tenders (E-Tendering Process)

Specification No.	Tender Inviting Authority	Name of the Work
197	CE / Coal	Request for Empanelment for Exploration Agency

For details of works / Procurement / Due date of submission / Opening, viewing and downloading of e-tenders, please visit websites: **www.tnpdcl.org, www.tenders.tn.gov.in, www.tntenders.gov.in**

DIPR/4556/Tender/2025

IN THE NATIONAL COMPANY LAW TRIBUNAL BENGALURU BENCH, BENGALURU

C.P.(IB) NO. 243/BB/2024

PETITIONER : M/s Gupshup Technology India Pvt. Ltd.
Vs.
RESPONDENT : M/s Dunzo Digital Pvt. Ltd

[SUBSTITUTED SERVICE OF NOTICE TO THE RESPONDENT BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION VIDE ORDER DATED 14/07/2025]

To,
M/s Dunzo Digital Pvt. Ltd
4th Floor, Incubex INRM, 558, 9th A Main Road, Indira Nagar 1st Stage, Indiranagar, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560038 **...Respondent**

Whereas the above named Petitioner has filed the above Company Petition (Insolvency) in this court under Section 9 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 for the purpose of initiating CIRP and the said petition is fixed for hearing on 02.09.2025 at 10:30 AM before the Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, Bangalore.

Any person desirous of supporting or opposing the said petition/application/reference should send to the petitioner's advocate, notice of his intention, signed by him or his advocate, with his name and address, so as to reach the petitioner's advocate not later than 'two days before the date fixed for the hearing of the petition/application/reference. Where he seeks to oppose the petition/application/reference, the grounds of opposition or a copy of his affidavit shall be furnished with such notice. A copy of the petition/application/reference will be furnished by the undersigned to any person requiring the same on payment of the prescribed charges for the same. If no return is filed aforesaid, petition will be head and decided ex-parte.

Sd/- **Kinjal Goyal, Advocate**
Aekom Legal G-29, Lajpat Nagar-III,
New Delhi-110024

Date : 21-08-2025
Place : Bengaluru

Form No. URC-2

Advertisement giving notice about registration under Part I of chapter XXI of the Companies Act, 2013 (Pursuant to 374(b) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 4(1) of the Companies (Authorized to Register) Rules, 2014

1) Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of Section 366(2) of the Companies Act, 2013 an application is proposed to be made after fifteen days hereof but before the expiry of thirty days hereinafter to the Registrar at Central Registration Centre, Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs, Plot no. 6, 7 8, Sector 5, IMT Manesar-122052, Gurgaon, Haryana, that EagleX Technology LLP (LLPIN: AAP-7769) may be registered under Part I of Chapter XXI of the Companies Act, 2013 as a company limited by shares.

2) The principal object of the company are as follows:

a) To carry on the business of owning, operating and managing software, technology and technology products for any and all industries; and

b) To carry on the business of providing services relating to software, technology and technology products including development services, back-office services, customer relationship management, business and other process outsourcing.

3) A copy of the draft memorandum of association and articles of association of the proposed company may be inspected at Ground Floor, B Block, Pebble Beach Building, Embassy Golf Links Business Park, Challaghatta, Domlur, Bangalore-560071, Karnataka, India.

4) Notice is hereby given that any person objecting to this application may communicate their objection in writing to the Registrar at Central Registration Centre, Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs, Plot no. 6, 7 8, Sector 5, IMT Manesar-122052, Gurgaon, Haryana, within 21 (Twenty-One) days from the date of publication of this notice, with its copy to EagleX Technology LLP at its registered office.

Dated this **19th day of August 2025.**
Name of the applicant
For **EagleX Technology LLP**
Sd/- Malavika Sahoo **Sd/- Aditya Jalan**
Place: Bangalore

OFFICE OF THE RECOVERY OFFICER-I/II DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL BANGALORE (DRT 2)

No.4, Residency Road, LIC Jeevan Mangal Building, Hayes Road, Bengaluru-560025

DEMAND NOTICE

FORM NO.14
[See Regulation 33(2)]
By Regd. A/D, Dasti failing which by Publication

NOTICE UNDER SECTIONS 25 TO 28 OF THE RECOVERY OF DEBTS DUE TO BANK AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS ACT, 1993 AND RULE 2 OF SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE INCOME TAX ACT, 1961.

RC/274/2020 10.11.2020

CORPORATION BANK
Versus
SRI JEAN GEORGE & OTHERS

To.
CORPORATION BANK
Uttarahalli Branch No.629/443/2A
Uttarahalli, Bengaluru-560061
Certificate Holder

1. SRI JEAN GEORGE
S/o kanjara thumannil George Philip R/at:Flat No.G1, Himagiri Enclave-2, C-Block, Opp:26th Main, Kaggadasapura, Bengaluru-560093.

2.SMT SHARON MONGA
W/o jean George R/at:Flat No.G1, Himagiri Enclave-2, C-Block, Opp:26th Main, Kaggadasapura, Bengaluru-560093.
...Certificate Debtors

This is to notify that as per the Recovery Certificate issued in pursuance of orders passed by the Presiding Officer, **Debts Recovery Tribunal Bangalore (DRT 2) in OA/259/2019** an amount of **Rs 38,54,992.00 (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakhs Fifty Four Thousands Nine Hundred Ninety Two Only)** along with pendentellite and future interest @ **12.25%** Compound Interest Yearly w.e.f. **17.01.2019** and Cost till realization has become due against you (Jointly and severally)

2. You are hereby directed to pay the above sum within 15 days of the receipts of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made in accordance with the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 and Rules there under.

3. Your are hereby ordered to declare on an affidavit the particulars of yours assets on or before the next date of hearing.

4.you are hereby ordered to appear before the undersigned within 30 days of receipt of notice for further proceedings.

5. In addition to the sum aforesaid, you will also be liable to pay:

(a) Such interests as is payable for the period commencing immediately after this notice of the certificate / execution proceedings.

(b) All costs, charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and warrants and other processes and all other proceedings taken for recovering the amount due.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Tribunal, on this date: **9.11.2020**

Recovery Officer-I
Debts Recovery Tribunal
Bangalore (DRT-2)

Can Fin Homes Ltd.

CIN No : L85110KA1987PLC008699
No. S-1356, 1st Floor, BEL Layout 2nd Stage,
Herohalli, Magadi Main Road, Bengaluru-91.
Phone : 080-23282923, Mobile : +91 89518 96287
Email: magadi.road@canfinhomes.com

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK) HOME LOANS + DEPOSITS Translating Dreams into Reality
CIN : L85110KA1987PLC008699

Sale notice for sale of immovable properties
[See proviso to rule 9 (1)]

SALE NOTICE for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9 (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **PHYSICAL** possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Can Fin Homes Ltd., Magadi Road Branch,** will be sold by holding auction on **"As is where is", "As is what is",** and **"Whatever there is"** on **10-09-2025,** for recovery of **Rs. 22,94,166/-** (Rupees Twenty two Lakh Ninety Four Thousand One Hundred and Sixty Six Only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from **Mr. Channagopal .D** and **Mrs. Padmavathi .H** (Borrowers), as on 20-08-2025, together with further interest and other charges thereon. The reserve price will be **Rs. 35,00,000/-** (Rupees Thirty Five Lakh Only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs. 3.50,000/-** (Rupees Three Lakh Fifty Thousand Only)

Description of the immovable property

All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Northern Portion of Site No 122, Old Khatha No 1/21, Situated at Pillaganahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru. Property Measuring East to West : 40 Feet And North to South : 15 Feet, Totally Measuring 600 Square Feet. **Bounderies : East By :** Site No. 128, **West By :** 25 Feet Road, **North By :** Site No. 123, **South By :** Southern Portion Of Same Site No 122.

Encumbrances: NIL

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of **Can Fin Homes Ltd., (https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx).**

Link to participate in Auction : **www.bankeauctionwizard.com**

Date: 20.08.2025
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer,
Can Fin Homes Ltd.

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KKRTC CIVIL DIVISION, KALABURAGI

MSK Mill Road, Jewargi Cross Kalaburagi.

No: KKT/EEG/KLB/DB/430 /2025-26 Date: 19/08/2025

:: TENDER NOTIFICATION NO. 01/2025-26 (CALL-2) ::

Through GOK e-procurement platform WWW.kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Eligible Class-I Civil Contractors/Firms registered in Karnataka at KPWD/CPWD /MES are hereby invited for the below works in Two cover system through E-procurement portal mode.

1) Name of work : **Construction of new bus station at Mannur Tq: Afzalpur,** 2) Amount put to Tender (Rs in lakhs): **154.46**, 3) Last date for receipt of tenders:**03-09-2025**

The tender schedule will be available on the web site mentioned as below. **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in,** Telephone No. 08472-220663

Sd/-
Executive Engineer

DIPR/Kalaburagi/415/KSMC&A/2025-26

STATE BANK OF INDIA

HOME LOAN CENTRE, MALLESHWARAM (41161), No. 97, Railway Parallel Road, Kumarapark West, Bengaluru -560020. Ph : 080 25943732, 25943720, Fax: 080 25943729/3730, Email Id: racpc.bz1@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER/S

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED 'ACT ')

A notice is hereby given that the following Borrowers **1) Smt. Meena Rai W/o. Late Suraj Rai, 2) Sri. Subodh Kumar Rai S/o. Late Suraj Rai** have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loan facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loan accounts have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). The notices were issued to them and guarantors under Section 13(2) of Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but they have been returned unserved and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Name and Address of the Borrower's : 1) Smt. Meena Rai W/o. Late Suraj Rai, No. 76/7, Air Force Station Shillong, HQ EAC (U), Mawkhar Krang, East Khasi Hills, Mylliem Syllai-U-Lar, Meghalaya-793009. **And also at : i)** No.502, Danaiya Warzar, Near Unitarian Church, Madan Laban, Shillong-793004. **ii)** Site No.81, Sy.No.74, Raghunathapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapura, Bangalore Rural-561203. **2) Sri. Subodh Kumar Rai** S/o. Late Suraj Rai, WZ-128, 3rd Floor, Gali No.6, Lajwanti Garden, New Delhi-110046. **And also at : i)** DLF Building No.10, 8th Floor, Tower B, DLF Cyber City, Phase-2, Gurgaon-122002. **ii)** No. 502, Danaiya Warzar, Near Unitarian Church, Madan Laban, Shillong-793004. **iii)** No. 57, 3rd Cross, 3rd Main, RMV 2nd Stage, Ashwathnagar, Bangalore-560094. **iv)** Site No.81, Sy.No.74, Raghunathapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapura, Bangalore Rural-561203.

Account No's. : HTL- 36606911034

Demand Notice: 19.07.2025 **NPA Date : 19.06.2025**

Amount outstanding (As on the date of notice) : Rs. 38,12,825/- (Rupees Thirty eight lakhs twelve thousand eight hundred and twenty five only) as on **17.07.2025** and you are also liable to pay future interest from **18.07.2025** at contractual rate on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc.

Description of the Immovable Property : Schedule "A" Property : All that piece and parcel of residentially converted land measuring a total extent of 7 Acres & 02 Guntas comprised in Sy.No.58/3 of Archalli Guddadahalli Village to an extent of 4 Acres & Sy.No.74 of Raghunathpura Village, to an extent of 3 Acres & 02 Guntas, both at Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapur, Bangalore Rural District, in the layout knowsn as N.S Infocity, comprised in Khata No.106 and sub numbers 106/1 to 106/105 of the Basetihalli Grama Panchayat & **bounded on the : East by :** Property under Sy.No.73 of Raghunathapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapur, **West by :** Private Property, **North by :** Property under Sy.No.79 & 75 of Raghunathapura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapur, **South by :** Road leading from Doddaballapur Railway Station to NH-207.

Schedule "B" Property : All the piece and parcel of residential building being a portion of Site No.81 as existing & carved in Schedule "A" Property under Sy.No.74 and presently bearing Bashettyhalli Panchayat E-Khata No.150300301500420501 situated at Raghunathpura Village, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapur, measuring East to West: 32'-4" and North to South: 29'-0" thus a total areas of 939.6 Sq.Ft., with a villament of 1500 Sq.ft., constructed identified as Unit-B consisting of only ground and first floor on the above plot with building thereon held in the name of "Sri.Subodh Kumar Rai S/o Late Suraj Rai and Smt.Meena Rai W/o Late Suraj Rai" and commonly **bounded on the : East by :** Layout Road, **West by :** Property No.106/76 & 106/77, **North by :** Property No.106/80, **South by :** Remaining Portion of Site B1 (New No. B1-A).

Schedule "C" Property : 939.6 Sq.Ft., of undivided share and interest in Schedule "B" land wherein the Villament under Schedule "B" is one of the Units.

Sale Deed dated 20.06.2017 is registered in favour of "Sri.Subodh Kumar Rai S/o Late Suraj Rai and Smt.Meena Rai W/o Late Suraj Rai" in the office of SRO Doddaballapura in Book No.1 under Document No. DBP-1-02562/2017-18 dated 20.06.2017.

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above Borrower /Guarantors/mortgagors are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of this notice under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act, 2002.

The borrowers/guarantors/ mortgagors attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Date : 19.07.2025
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer, State Bank of India
HOME LOAN CENTRE, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru

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This is to inform the public at large, that FEDBANK FINANCIAL SERVICES LTD., has decided to conduct Auction of Gold ornaments belonging to accounts (mentioned below) which have become overdue or which have defaults or margin breach customers. The Auction would be held at respective Branches specified below on **Monday 01-09-2025 between 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m.** This would continue till the auction process is over.

Arakalgud 9964260350 **FEDGL0036**0015291 **Arasikere** 9620276545 **FEDGL0414**0006026, 0006029, 0006032, 0006034, 0006035 **B H Road** 8904344610 **FEDGL0103**0021273 **BELGAUM** 9538166084 **FEDGL0136**0008239, 0008248, 0008257, 0008267 **BELUR** 9380453339 **FEDGL0159**0012807, 0012808, 0012809, 0012813, 0012814, 0012824, 0012827, 0012830, 0012831 **BOMMANAHALLI** 8555046900 **FEDGL0014**0008877, 0008884, 0009096 **BYADGI** 8970590276 **FEDGL0051**0014016, 0014056, 0015400 **Caltex Circle** 9900291944 **FEDGL0102**0016968 **CHENRAYAPATNA** 9739489738 **FEDGL0158**0025146, 0025211, 0025212 **CHIKKAMAGALUR** 9164264697 **FEDGL0021**0009395, 0009405 **dharwad** 8152913405 **FEDGL0233**0007586 **Gadag** 9902373905 **FEDGL0420**0006504, 0006514 **Gangavathi** 9972317836 **FEDGL0094**0006700, 0007705, 0007716 **Gubbi** 7760812077 **FEDGL0046**0019002, 0019013, 0019045, 0019057, 0019082, 0019107, 0021656 **Hagaribommanhalli** 9481555371 **FEDGL0100**0013223, 0013225, 0013247, 0013295 **Harappanahalli** 9945998329 **FEDGL0104**0012023, 0012036 **HARIHAR** 8147533256 **FEDGL0022**0016236, 0016248, 0016251 **HASSAN MARKET** 8970429398 **FEDGL0157**0016899, 0016965 **HAVERI** 8880914476 **FEDGL0181**0012965 **HENNUR** 8123668156 **FEDGL0015**0005803 **HOSA ROAD** 8050825082 **FEDGL0002**0016279 **Hosadurga** 8105000953 **FEDGL0412**0007510, 0007513, 0007524, 0007543, 0007566, 0007582 **Hospet** 9743956995 **FEDGL0099**0010439, 0010445, 0010453, 0010457, 0010470, 0011915 **FEDBD0099**0000187, 0000188 **K R Pete** 9880106025 **FEDGL0063**0010189, 0010214, 0010217 **K R ROAD** 7829541516 **FEDGL0037**0007199 **Kadur** 9844224685 **FEDGL0487**0005224, 0005227, 0005248, 0005251, 0005252 **KAMMANAHALLI** 8310471800 **FEDGL0005**0006161 **KOPIKAR ROAD** 8792207075 **FEDGL0155**0009641 **Koppal** 9980073958 **FEDGL0403**0004276, 0004292, 0004309, 0005484 **Kudligi** 7760491423 **FEDGL0404**0008225, 0008236, 0008278, 0008284, 0008288 **Madhugiri** 9972981737 **FEDGL0393**0011000, 0011044 **Malebennur** 8884276416 **FEDGL0062**0013451, 0013457, 0013460 **MANDYA** 8453194687 **FEDGL0163**0009835, 0009837, 0009838, 0009841, 0009852, 0009858 **Mundargi** 9886453768 **FEDGL0064**0011667, 0011679, 0011680, 0011713, 0011718, 0011732 **NANJANGODE** 9611312789 **FEDGL0160**0016859, 0016861, 0016887, 0016888 **Pavagada** 9448386998 **FEDGL0377**0012467, 0012470, 0012471, 0012473, 0012502, 0012507, 0012533, 0012534, 0012537, 0012546 **RAMANAGARA** 8197884697 **FEDGL0180**0026808, 0026813, 0026817, 0026853 **RAMASWAMY CIRCLE** 9620136356 **FEDGL0173**0008596, 0008605, 0008606 **RANEBENNUR** 8904013982 **FEDGL0232**0012935, 0012938, 0012946, 0012955 **SHIMOGA** 9513242321 **FEDGL0183**0013241, 0013259 **Sindhanur** 8880890891 **FEDGL0461**0004863 **Sira** 9686864110 **FEDGL0376**0013069, 0013085 **Tarikere** 9945524645 **FEDGL0415**0004998, 0005017

Change in Venue or Date, if any will be displayed on our Website www.fedfina.com. All bidders participating will be intimated subsequently with respect to acceptance or rejection of bids submitted by them. Customer who want to release their ornaments shall visit at the base branch wherein the ornaments were pledged by the customer or contact at the number mentioned above on/or before 30-08-2025 subject to the terms and condition applicable.

Auction will be conducted at respective branches, in case the auction does not get completed on the given date due to any reasons, the auction in respect thereto shall be conducted on subsequent working days at district level branch after displaying the details on our Website. No further communication shall be issued in this regard.

Dated : 21.08.2025
Place : Karnataka

For, sd/- Authorised Signatory
Fedbank Financial Services Ltd.,

Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited

(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through KPP Portal only)

No.: KPTCL/SEE/RT(B)/T-67/2025-26/934-35 **Date: 19.08.2025**

KPTCL invites Tender for Hiring the services of **one number of driver for driving Mobile Switchyard Equipment Testing van with Integrated Testing equipments pertaining to RT Additional Division, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru.**

For further details please visit: **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in Date: 28.08.2025 after 3:00pm onwards.** The undersigned office may be contacted for any further information.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer(El.,), R.T Circle,
KPTCL, West of Chord Road, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560 010.

PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited

Regd. Office: PSEB, Head Office, The Mall, Patiala - 147001
Superintending Engineer/O&M/MM-II. GHTP, Lehra Mohabat-151111 (Bathinda)
M: No. 96461-17607 E-mail:se.mm2.lehra@gmail.com
Corporate Identity Number: U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in

Tender Enquiry No. 97/CHP/HEMC-308-Vol-XII **Dated : 20-08-2025**

Superintending Engineer, Mechanical Mtc. Circle-II/GHTP, Lehra Mohabbat invites E-tenders for the work of "AMC to attend various Routine, Preventive and Break-Down Mechanical maintenance work of all the Heavy Equipment under HEMC/CHP, GHTP, Lehra Mohabbat (Wagon Tipplers, Stacker Reclaimers, Primary & Secondary Crushers, Dust Suppression System, Dust Extraction System, Ventilation System and, Crusher/Grinder of coal sampling lab of coal handling plant Stage-I&II etc.) on lump sum basis for a period of one year at GHTP."

For detailed NIT & tender specification please refer **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **20-08-2025** at **17:00** onwards.

NOTE: Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

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(A Government of India Undertaking)

ASSET RECOVERY MANAGEMENT(ARM) II BRANCH,

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Email: cb6298@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assests and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provisio to Rule 8 (6) of Security Intrest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the secured creditors the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore,** will be sold on **16.09.2025 from 01.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of outstanding dues from below mentioned Borrowes. The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit is mentioned below.

Neme of Borrowers and Guarantors	Total Liabilities as per Sale Notice	Description of Immovable Assets	Auction Date & Time	Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Date & Time	1) Incremetal Value at Bid 2) A/c. No. & IFSC
1. M/s. Mallella Infrastructure Private Limited through Its Director, Sri M Pawan Kumar, Smt. M. Latha Preeti and Sri K Charan Kumar, **Regd Office :** No 540, 17th Main, 4th Sector, HSR Layout, 4th Sector, HSR Layout, Bengaluru-560 102. **GUARANTOR : 1. Sri M Pawan Kumar,** S/o Sri M Nagireddy, No. 307/7, 23rd Cross, 6th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560070. **2. Smt. M Latha Preeti,** W/o. Sri M Pawan Kumar, No. 307/7, 23rd Cross, 6th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560070. **3. Sri K Charan Kumar,** S/o and C/o Sri Reddeppa Reddy, No. 54 Ground Floor, UAS Layout, 8th Cross, RMV 2nd Stage, Sanjaynagar, Bangalore North, PO: RMV Extension II Stage, Bangalore-560 094.	**Rs. 50,65,08,976.69/-** (Fifty crore Sixty Five lakhs Eight thousand Nine hundred Seventy Six and Sixty Nine paise only) as on 19.08.2025, together with future interest, expenses and costs etc till realization.	All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.249, erstwhile Begur Village PanchayathKhatha No.766/A, carved on residential converted land bearing Sy.No. 396 (New No. 396/1), converted under Official Memorandum bearing No. Dis.ALN.SR.(S) 128/85-86, dated 19.9.1985, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, comprised in the comprehensive residential layout known as "Vishwapriya Greeneries", presently under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike (BBMP), Begur Ward No. 192, bearing Khatha No.1498/249, situated Begur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, Bangalore, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto, measuring East to West 70 feet and North to South 95 feet, in all measuring 6650 sq. ft., and bounded on the:East by: Site No.250, West by:Site No.248,North by : Site No. 246, South by: Road.	**16.09.2025 from 1.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m**	**Reserve Price Rs. 1,64,58,000/-** **EMD Rs. 16,45,800/-**	**Multiples of Rs. 1,00,000/-** **A/c. No. 209272434** **IFSC : CNRB0006298**
		All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.248, erstwhile Begur Village Panchayath Khatha No.766/A, carved on residential converted land bearing Sy.No. 396 (New No.396/1), converted under Official Memorandum bearing No. Dis.ALN.SR.(S) 128/85-86, dated 19.9.1985, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, comprised in the comprehensive residential layout known as "Vishwapriya Greeneries", presently under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike (BBMP), Begur Ward No. 192, bearing Khatha No.1500/248, situated Begur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, Bangalore, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto, measuring East to West 60 feet and North to South 95 feet, in all measuring 5700 sq. ft., and bounded on the: East by:Site No.249, West by:Private Property, North by:Site No. 247, South by:Road.		**Reserve Price Rs. 1,40,93,000/-** **EMD Rs. 14,09,300/-**	**Encumbrance (s) : Not known to Bank**
		All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.121, BBMP Khatha No.1803/121. New PID NO.192-W1298-50,(erstwhile Begur Village PanchayathKhatha No.1019-1181-766/A-1026/1184, measuring East to West 100 feet, and North to South 60 feet, in all measuring 6000 sq.ft., carved on residential converted land bearing Sy.No.114, (converted vide official memorandum bearing No.B.DIS.ALN.SR(S)581/82-83, dated 25.1.1982, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), comprised in the comprehensive residential layout known as "Vishwapriya Greeneries", presently under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike Ward No.192-Begur, situated at Begur village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto and bounded on the: East by:Site No.120, West by: Road, North by: Site No. 122,South by:Road.		**Reserve Price Rs. 1,43,45,000/-** **EMD Rs. 14,34,500/-**	
		All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.77, BBMP Khatha No.1343/77, New PID No.192-W0422-10, (erstwhile Begur Village PanchayathKhatha No.1025-1183/1026-1184/766/C), measuring East to West 100 feet, North to South 60 feet, in all measuring 6,000 square feet, carved on residentially converted lands bearing Sy.No. 142, 143/1 and Sy.No.143/2, comprised in the comprehensive residential layout known as "Vishwapriya Greeneries", presently under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike (BBMP), Begur Ward No. 192, situated Begur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District, Bangalore, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto, and bounded on the: East by: Site No.52,West by:Road, North by:Site No. 78A, South by: Site No.76.		**Reserve Price Rs. 1,34,00,000/-** **EMD Rs. 13,40,000/-**	
		Item No.1. : All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.182, bearing BBMP Khatha No.3315 /117/7/182, situated in the layout known as"VISWAPRIYA GREENERIES", formed in the land converted land bearing Sy.No.117/7 ofBegur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, (converted for residential purposes vide official Memorandum bearing No.BDIS.ALN.SR(S)154/81-82, dated 31.8.1981, by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District), measuring East to West 100 feet, North to South 38 feet, in all measuring 3800 square feet, presently within BBMP Begur Ward No.192, and bounded on the:East by:Site No.179, West by:Road, North by :Site No. 183, South by:Site No.181. **Item No. 2 :** All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.179, bearing BBMP Khatha No.3316/117/7/182, situated in the layout known as "VISWAPRIYA GREENERIES", formed in the land converted land bearing Sy.No.117/7 ofBegur Village, BegurHobli, Bangalore South Taluk, (converted for residential purposes vide official Memorandum bearing No.BDIS.ALN.SR(S)154/81-82, dated 31.8.1981, by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District), measuring East to West 100 feet, North to South 38 feet, in all measuring 3800 square feet, presently within BBMP Begur Ward No.192, and bounded on the: East by:Road,West by:Site No.182, North by:Site No. 178,South by:Site No.180.		**Reserve Price Rs. 1,61,09,000/-** **EMD Rs. 16,10,900/-**	
		All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.201, formed in Converted Sy. No. 113, (converted for residential purposes under official memorandum No. ALN:SR(S)270/80-81, dated 05-09-1980, issued by the special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Urban Dist. Bangalore) Presently bearing BBMP Khatha No. 290/201, situated at Begur village, BegurHobli, Bangalore, South Taluk, Presently within BBMP Begur, Ward No. 192, measuring East to West 120 feet and North to south 60 feet, and bounded on the: East by :Basapura Village,West by: Road, North by: Site No. 202, (Land Locked)		**Reserve Price Rs. 63,15,000/-** **EMD Rs 6,31,500/-**	
		All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.202, formed in Converted Sy. No. 113, (converted for residential purposes under official memorandum No. ALN:SR(S)270/80-81, dated 05-09-1980, issued by the special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Urban Dist. Bangalore) Presently bearing BBMP Khatha No. 291/202, situated at Begur village, BegurHobli, Bangalore, South Taluk, Presently within BBMP Begur, Ward No. 192, measuring East to West 120 feet and North to south 60 feet, and bounded on the:East by :Basapura Village, West by: Road,North by : Site No. 203,South by: Site No. 201.(Land Locked)		**Reserve Price Rs. 63,15,000/-** **EMD Rs 6,31,500/-**	
		All that piece and parcel of the Property residential Site No.203, formed in Converted Sy. No. 113, (converted for residential purposes under official memorandum No. ALN:SR(S)270/80-81, dated 05-09-1980, issued by the special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Urban Dist. Bangalore) Presently bearing BBMP Khatha No. 633/203, situated at Begur village, BegurHobli, Bangalore, South Taluk, Presently within BBMP Begur, Ward No. 192, measuring East to West 120 feet and North to south 60 feet, and bounded on the: East by :Basapura Village, West by: Road, North by : Site No. 204,South by: Site No. 202. (Land Locked).		**Reserve Price Rs. 61,30,000/-** **Emd Rs 6,13,000/-** **on or before 15.09.2025**	

Other terms and Conditions :

a. Auction / bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the **https://baanknet.com/** Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.
b. The property can be inspected, with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer.
c. The property will be sold for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process.
d. EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in E-Wallet of **M/s. PSB Alliance Private Limited (BAANKNET)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan.
e. After payment of the EMD amount, the intending bidders should submit a copy of the following documents/details on or **before 15.09.2025** to Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore by hand Or Email. i. Receipt of payment of EMD. ii. Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank at the time of making payment of balance amount of 25% of bid amount. iii. Bid Form to be submitted.
The intending bidders should register their names at portal **https://baanknet.com/** and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider, **M/s. PSB Alliance (BAANKNET) - e- mail: support.baanknet@psballiance.com,**
EMD deposited by the unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them. The EMD shall not carry any interest.
f. Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. Bidders shall improve their offers in multiplies of **Rs. 1,00,000/-.** The bidder who submits the highest bid (above the Reserve price) on closure of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder. Sale shall be confirmed in favour of the successful bidder, subject to confirmation of the same by the secured creditor.
g. The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the sale price (inclusive of EMD already paid), immediately on declaring him/her as the successful bidder and the balance within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. If the successful bidder fails to pay the sale price, the deposit made by him shall be forfeited by the Authorized Officer without any notice and property shall forthwith be put up for sale again. This amount shall be deposited by way of Demand draft in favour of Authorized Officer, Canara Bank, ARM II Branch OR shall be deposited through RTGS / NEFT / Fund Transfer to credit of account of Canara Bank, ARM II Branch, A/c. No. 209272434, IFSC Code: CNRB0006298.
h. For sale proceeds of **Rs. 50.00 Lakhs** (Rupees Fifty Lakhs) and above, the successful bidder will have to deduct TDS at the applicable rate on the sale proceeds and submit the original receipt of TDS certificate to the bank.
i. All charges for Conveyance, Stamp Duty/GST/Registration Charges etc. As applicable shall be borne by the successful bidder only.
j. Authorised Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the E-auction without assigning any reason thereof.
k. In case there are bidders who do not have access to the internet but interested in participating the E-auction, they can approach Canara Bank Circle office, Bengaluru or Canara Bank ARM II Branch, Bengaluru, who as a facilitating centre shall make necessary arrangements.
l. Bidder has to make due diligence and physical verification of property with regard to title, extent, area dues, etc. No claim subsequent to submission of bid shall be entertained by the bank.
For further details contact Authorised Officer, Canara Bank , ARM Branch-2- (9113092975, 8921102717, 9993777728, 9483544116, 8709675503 and 080-25310181) e-mail id – cb6298@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/s.PSB Alliance(baanknet) - e- mail: support.baanknet@psballiance.com

Special Instruction/Caution

Bidding in the last minutes/seconds should be avoided by the bidders in their own interest. Neither Canara Bank nor the Service Provider will be responsible for any lapses/failure (Internet failure, Power failure, etc.) on the part of the bidder or vendor in such cases. In order to ward off such contingent situation, bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/ alternatives such as back –up, power supply and whatever else required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the auction successfully.

Date : 20.08.2025
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

50 killed by Nigerian bandits in mosque attack, village raids

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain ● **HR:** Heavy Rain ● **LS:** Light Snow ● **TDS:** Thundershower ● **LC:** Light Cloud ● **SNY:** Sunny

Beijing	36	23	SNY	Los Angeles	27	17	SNY
Colombo	31	27	LC	Melbourne	16	6	SNY
Dhaka	32	27	LR	Moscow	28	16	LC
Dubai	44	35	SNY	New York	32	22	SNY
Houston	35	26	SNY	Singapore	34	27	SNY
Istanbul	29	23	SNY	Toronto	29	15	LC
London	30	19	TDS	Washington	36	25	SNY

NATO chiefs meet amid US push for peace in Ukraine

BRUSSELS

NATO defence chiefs were due to hold a virtual meeting Wednesday, a senior alliance official said, as Western countries pushing for an end to Russia's war on Ukraine devise possible future security guarantees for Kyiv that could help forge a peace agreement.

Italian Admiral Giuseppe Cavo Dragone, the chair of NATO's Military Committee, said that 32 defense chiefs from across the alliance would hold a video conference amid a U.S.-led diplomatic push to end the fighting.

US Gen Alexus Grynkewich, NATO's supreme allied commander Europe, will take part in the talks, Dragone said on social platform X. US Gen Dan Caine, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, was also set to participate, a US defense official said. Caine also met with European military chiefs Tuesday evening in Washington to assess the best military options for political leaders, according to the defense official, who wasn't authorised to comment publicly and spoke on condition of anonymity. Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov chided efforts to work on security arrangements in Ukraine without Moscow's involvement. "We cannot agree with the fact that it is now proposed to resolve collective security issues without the Russian Federation. This will not work," Lavrov said Wednesday, according to state news agency RIA Novosti.

In this photo taken from video distributed by Russian Defense Ministry Press Service, a Russian T-80BVM tank fires towards Ukrainian positions in Ukraine | AP

Russia will "ensure (its) legitimate interests firmly and harshly," Lavrov added at a news conference in Moscow with Jordanian Foreign Minister Ayman al-Safadi.

Donald Trump met last Friday with Russian President Vladimir Putin in Alaska and on Monday hosted Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy and prominent European leaders at the White House. Neither meeting delivered concrete progress. Trump is trying to steer Putin and Zelenskyy toward a settlement more than three years after Russia invaded its neighbor, but there are major obstacles. They include Ukraine's demands for Western-backed military assurances to ensure Russia won't mount another invasion in the coming years. *AP*

Russia wants role in Ukraine talks, doubts quick summit

MOSCOW

RUSSIA said on Wednesday it had to be part of any discussion on security guarantees for Ukraine and downplayed the likelihood of an imminent summit with President Volodymyr Zelenskyy, tempering hopes for a quick peace deal.

Moscow signed the Budapest Memorandum in 1994, which was aimed at ensuring security for Ukraine, Belarus and Kazakhstan in exchange for them giving up numerous nuclear weapons left from the Soviet era. But Russia violated that first by taking Crimea in 2014, and then by starting a full-scale offensive in 2022, which has killed tens of thousands of people and forced millions to flee their homes.

Russia's defence ministry said on Telegram Wednesday that its troops had captured the villages of Sukhetske and Pankivka in the embattled Donetsk region. They are near a section of the front where the Russian army broke through Ukrainian defences last week, between the logistics hub of Pokrovsk and Kostiantynivka.

"Our units are engaged in heavy defensive battles against superior Russian forces," said Ukraine's commander-in-chief Oleksandr Syrsky. Six civilians were killed by Russian attacks across eastern and southern Ukraine Wednesday, local authorities said. One person died in Russia's western Bryansk region as a result of a Ukrainian drone strike, the local governor said. *AFP*

ASIA MATTERS

CREATORS TOLD TO BOOST LOCAL BRANDS

Indonesia's Ministry of Villages calls on rural content creators to promote local products and enhance competitiveness. With villages covering 89% of the country, they are vital for exports like agriculture and crafts. Ministry official Chusnul Chotimah emphasized that success relies on both quality and marketing. Collaboration between village businesses and digital creators can expand market reach and reduce economic gaps. Boosting digital literacy will help rural entrepreneurs tap into global trends, supporting agenda for economic equality and poverty reduction.

SILICON ISLAND REACHES 81 HECTARES

Penang's Silicon Island reclamation has reached 81 hectares, progressing as planned. The 930.7-hectare mega-project aims to boost investment, jobs, and local amenities. Key developments include a marine viaduct, community hub, and fishermen support, with construction ongoing through 2027.

PANEL FOR PETROLEUM APPOINTED

Thailand's Cabinet appointed five new Petroleum Committee members starting August 19, 2025, replacing those who resigned or completed terms. The committee, with experts from public and private sectors, advises on petroleum concessions, land ownership, and natural gas pricing under the Petroleum Act. Meanwhile, PTTEP Energy Development gained full control of the Erawan gas field by acquiring a 40% stake from MP G2, aiming to streamline operations and boost development. The move is expected to improve energy efficiency without impacting government revenues.

Israel to mobilise 60,000 reservists ahead of expanded Gaza City operation

JERUSALEM

ISRAEL's military said Wednesday that it will call up 60,000 reservists ahead of an expanded military operation in Gaza City, where many Palestinians have chosen to stay despite the danger as seeking safety seems increasingly futile amid the growing humanitarian crisis.

Calling up extra military reservists is part a plan Defense Minister Israel Katz approved to begin a new phase of operations in some of Gaza's most densely populated areas, the military said.

The plan, which is expected to receive the chief of staff's final approval in the coming days, also includes extending the service of 20,000 additional reservists who are already on active duty.

In a country of fewer than 10 million people, the call-up of reservists is the largest in months and carries economic and political weight.

It comes days after hundreds of thousands of Israelis rallied for a ceasefire, as negotiators scramble to get Israel and Hamas to agree to end their 22 months of fighting, and as international leaders and rights groups warn that an expanded assault could deepen the crisis in the Gaza Strip, where most of the roughly 2 million inhabitants have been displaced, many areas have been reduced to rubble, and the population faces the threat of famine. An Israeli military official, speaking on the condition of anonymity in line with military regulations, said troops will operate in parts of Gaza City where they haven't been deployed yet and where Israel believes Hamas is still active. Israeli troops in the Zeitoun neighborhood of Gaza City and Jabaliya, a refugee camp in the northern Gaza Strip, are already preparing the groundwork for the expanded operation, which could begin within days. Gaza City is Hamas' military and governing stronghold, and one of the last places of refuge in the northern Gaza Strip, where hundreds of thousands are sheltering. Israeli troops will be targeting Hamas' vast underground tunnel network there, the official added.

Although Israel has targeted and killed much of Hamas' senior leadership, parts of Hamas are actively regrouping and carrying out attacks, including launching rockets towards Israel, the official said. Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu has said the war's objectives are to secure the release of remaining hostages and ensure that Hamas and other militants can never again threaten Israel. *AP*

Parachutes drop supplies into Nuseirat, in the central Gaza Strip | AP

Germany, Indonesia urge Gaza ceasefire

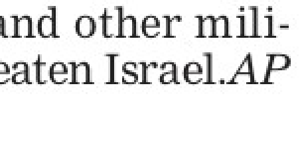
JAKARTA: The foreign minister of Germany called for an immediate ceasefire in Gaza and the release of hostages held by Hamas after a meeting Wednesday with his counterpart in Indonesia Johann Wadephul and Indonesian Foreign Minister Sugiono said the humanitarian catastrophe resulting from the Israel-Hamas war in Gaza is unbearable and a two-state solution is the sole means of ending the conflict. "The goal for all of us is clear: a two-state solution, which must be negotiated," Wadephul said.Sugiono told a joint news conference that they also discussed how to overcome geopolitical challenges during the meeting.

Macron rebukes Bibi over antisemitism claims

PARIS

FRENCH President Emmanuel Macron denounced Netanyahu's remarks as "abject" and "erroneous" in response to Israel Prime Minister's accusations that his intention to recognise a Palestinian state is fueling antisemitism.

Tensions between Israel and traditional allies escalated in recent weeks following Macron's pledge last month — a move followed by Britain, Canada and Australia but strongly opposed by Israel.



Macron's strong comments come as Australian Prime Minister Anthony Albanese on Wednesday brushed off Netanyahu's accusations that the Australian leader is a "weak politician who had betrayed Israel" by recognising a Palestinian state. "The analysis that France's decision to recognize the state of Palestine in September explains the rise in antisemitic violence in France is erroneous, abject, and will not go unanswered," Macron's office said in a statement released on Tuesday evening.

"The current period calls for seriousness and responsibility, not generalisation and manipulation."

Netanyahu wrote to Macron that antisemitism has "surged" in France since Macron's announcement that he will recognise a Palestinian state at the UN General Assembly next month, in a letter dated Monday seen by the Associated Press. "Your call for a Palestinian state pour fuels on this antisemitism fire," Netanyahu said. *AP*

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PUBLIC NOTICE FOR E- AUCTION FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

Sale of immovable properties mortgaged to Bank under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No. 54 of 2002)

Whereas, the Authorized Officer of **Indian Overseas Bank** has taken possession of the following properties pursuant to the notice issued under Section 13(2) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 in the following loan account with right to sell the same on, **AS IS WHERE IS BASIS and AS IS WHAT IS BASIS** for realization of Bank's dues plus interest & costs as detailed hereunder and whereas consequent upon failure to repay the dues, the undersigned in exercise of power conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act proposes to realize the Bank's dues by sale of the said properties. The sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the Web Portal **https://BANNKNET.in**

Name & Address of the Borrowers: Mrs.Pushpa Latha Nemelipuri C/o.T.Krishna Rao, No.53-38-7, 4F-4, Sivakarthik Residency, KRM Colony, Seeta Mandhana, Urban Visakhapatnam, A.P 530013 **also at** Flat No.102, P No: 137, Pranav Arcade, Siddartha Nagar, Hyderabad-500038

Date of NPA: 15.01.2025 **Date of Demand notice: 16.01.2025.**

Dues claimed in Demand Notice: Rs.2,46,24,876/- (Rupees Two Crores Forty Six Lakhs Twenty Four Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy Six Only) **as on 16.01.2025 with further interest & costs.**

Date of Possession Notice: 08-05-2025

Dues claimed in Possession Notice: Rs.2,53,97,440/- (Rupees Two Crores Fifty Three Lakhs Ninety Seven Thousand Four Hundred and Forty Only) **as on 08.04.2025** with further interest & costs less repayments, if any, made after issuance of demand notice.

Outstanding dues as on 16.08.2025 is **Rs. 2,62,48,667.64** (Rupees Two Crore Sixty Two Lakh Forty Eight Thousand Six Hundered Sixty seven and Sixty Four Paise only) along with further interest at contractual rates and rests, besides costs / charges incurred till the date of repayment in full. ***Local Self Government (Property Tax, Water sewerage, Electricity Bills etc.): Not known**

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY: SCHEDULE 'A'-PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing site No.57, BBMP Katha No.57, PID Noll82-25-57, situated at Binnamangala 2nd stage, Bangalore measuring East to West 40 Feet, North to South 60 Feet, totally measuring 2400 Sq.ft with all rights appurtenances whatsoever hereunder of underneath or above the surface and bounded on the: Boundaries: East by: Site No-56, West by: Site No-58, North by: Site Nos. 49 & 50, South by : Road.

Schedule B Property: 456 Sq.ft undivided right, title and interest in the immovable property mentioned in schedule 'A' above.

Schedule C Property (Description of the Apartment): Flat bearing No.P-2, in the Fourth Floor measuring about 2083 Sq.ft super built up area, containing Three Bedrooms and with one covered Car Parking in Stilt Floor, together with RCC Roofing, Vitrified flooring together with proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase etc., in the multistoried residential building known as SAI ENCLAVE constructed over Schedule A property.

The reserve price and the earnest money deposit is:

Sr. No.	Security Details	Reserve Price	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid Increase Amt
1	Property as detailed below	Rs.3,18,60,000/-	Rs. 31,86,000/-	Rs.1,00,000/-

Date & Time of auction: 19.09.2025 between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m

Bid increase amount: Rs.1,00,000/- **Auto extension time: 10 minutes**

Known Encumbrance if any: NIL

Inspection Date & Time:
During office hours from 10:00 AM till 05:00 PM, from 18.08.2025 to 17.09.2025.

***Bank's dues have priority over the statutory dues.**
For terms and conditions please visit: **https://www.iob.in/e-Auctions.aspx https://www.publishtenders.gov.in, https://BANNKNET.in/bidder-registration** (web portal of e-auction of Service provider)

Date: 16.08.2025, **Sd/- Authorized Officer**
Place: Bengaluru **Indian Overseas Bank**

Possession Notice (For Immovable Property) Rule 8-(1)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of IIFL Home Finance Limited (Formerly known as India Infoline Housing Finance Ltd.) (II FL-H FL) under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) mad with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, a Demand Notice was issued by the Authorised Officer of the company to the Borrower/Co-Borrowers mentioned herein below to repay the amount notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has **taken possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Rules. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **IIFL HFL** for an amount as mentioned herein under with interest thereon.The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, If the borrower dears the dues of the **"IIFL HFL"** together with all costs. charges and expenses incurred, at any time before the date fixed for sale or transfer, the secured assets shall not be sold or transferred by **"IIFL HFL"** and no further step shall be taken by **"IIFL HFL"** for transfer or sale of the secured assets.

Name of the Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrower(s)/	Description of the Secured Asset (Immovable Property)	Total Outstanding Dues (Rs.)	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession
Mr. Tolsikombri Devaraju Kemparaju, Mrs. Sharmila, Mrs. Shivamma, **Prospect No. IL10386051**	All that piece and parcel of Site No. 43, Sy.no. 1, Khatha No. 512, Pillanaganahalli Villlage, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560083 Area Admeasuring (IN SQ. FT.): Property Type: Land_Area Property Area: 756 Bounded By: North: Property Of Rajanna South: Property Of Jayalaxmi East: Road West: Road	₹ 1679447.00/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Seventy Nine Thousand Four Hundred and Forty Seven Only)	09/04/ 2025	18/08/ 2025

For,further details please contact to Authorised Officer at **Branch Office:** "ADAM CHAMBERS," #11, Richmond Road, Bengaluru - 560025 or **Corporate Office** : IIFL Tower, Plot No. 98, Udyog Vihar, Ph-IV Gurgaon, Haryana.
Place : Bangalore; Date : 21.08.2025 **Sd/-, Authorised Officer, For IIFL Home Finance Ltd.**

IN THE COURT OF THE VI ADDL CITY CIVIL AND SESSION JUDGE AT BANGALORE (CCH-11)
O.S No. 6619 of 2023

BETWEEN: 1. Sri.N. Jayakumar, S/o. Nemichand Jain, aged about 60 years, **2. Smt. Rajakumari. J,** W/o. Sri. N. Jayakumar, aged about 58 years, Both are residing at No.156 Trunk Road, Poonamallee Thiruvallur District Chennai - 600 056... **PLAINTIFFS**

AND: 1. DBS Bank India Limited (Previously Lakshmi Vilas Bank), City Market Branch, 1091, OCT Road, Nagarathpet City Market, Bangalore - 560 002, Also DBS Bank India Limited Special Asset Management Bangalore No.93, II Floor, TKN Mansion Opp. KSRTC Central Office KH Road, Bangalore - 560 027. **2. M/s. Vinayaka Cars Pvt. Ltd,** No.219/11, Palace Orchards Sadashivanagar Bellary Road, Ramana Maharshi Road Sadashivanagar, Bangalore - 560 080, Represented by its Managing Director. **3. Sri. Suresh Kumar Bafna,** S/o. Sri. Askaran Bafna, aged about 49 years, Director of M/s. Vinayak Cars Pvt Ltd, R/at. A104, Mantri Greens No.1, Sampige Road, Next to Mantri Mall Malleshwaram, Bangalore North Bengaluru-560 003. **4. Sri. Mahaveer Chand Bafna,** S/o. Sri.Askaran Bafna, aged about 54 years, Director of M/s. Vinayak Cars Pvt. Ltd R/at. No.46 Vinobaji Street Mannargudi, Thiravarur District Tamil Nadu - 614 001. **5. Smt. Narayani Prathaap,** W/o. Sri. A. Prathap Bafna, aged about 55 years, Director of M/s. Vinayak Cars Pvt. Ltd R/at. No.1 Big Bazzar Street, 156 Mannargudi, Thiruvarur District Tamil Nadu - 614 001... **DEFENDANTS**

SUMMONS/NOTICE UNDER ORDER V RULE 20(1-A) OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE TO DEFENDANTS No. 2

To, DEFENDANT No.2: M/s. Vinayaka Cars Pvt. Ltd, No.219/11, Palace Orchards Sadashivanagar Bellary Road, Ramana Maharshi Road Sadashivanagar, Bangalore - 560 080, Represented by its Managing Director.

Whereas the above named Plaintiffs have filed this Suit under Order VII Rule 1 and 2 R/w Section 26 of the CPC against the defendants for relief sought of the declaration that the sanction of the alleged loan i.e., Open cash credit facility by defendant no.2 company by way of renewal on 23-09-2020 with defendant no.1 bank by way of sanction letter dated 23-09-2020 and letter dated 24.04.2020 and link letter dated 02-07-2020 denoting the plaintiff as personal guarantors for the loan transaction area fraudulent loan transaction and by way of forgery of the signatures of the plaintiff herein by the defendant no.3 in collusion with other defendants and as such the said loan documents and the alleged loan transaction are not binding on the plaintiff and also cannot be enforced against the plaintiff.

you are hereby summoned to appear in this court in person or by a pleader on **27-09-2025** at 11:00 A.M, to answer the same, failing which the suit will be disposed of ex-parte.

Given under by hand and seal of the court on 12-08-2025.

By order of the Court, Senior Sheristedar, City Civil Court, Bengaluru.

POONAM PATIL, Advocate

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General public are hereby notified that, my client **SMT.KATHYAYANI CHANDRASEKHAR** W/o late Sri.H.S.Chandrasekhar, residing at No.329/1, 9th Main Road, 2nd Block Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560011, is the absolute owner of the vacant Site bearing No.262, PID No.3204130785, measuring East to West 12.19 Mtrs and North to South 18.28 Mtrs, in all measuring 222.83 Sq.Mtrs, in the layout formed by the Bangalore Development Authority (BDA), situated at J P Nagar 8th Phase 2nd Block, Bengaluru.

My client has lost/misplaced the Original Khatha certificate with respect to said Site and to that effect my client has lodged a complaint with Bengaluru City Police vide a Lost Report No.1759710/2025 on 19/08/2025. If anybody holds or otherwise finds the said original Khatha certificate, is hereby requested to hand over the same to the undersigned within **7 (seven) days** from today and he/she will be rewarded appropriately.

Sd/- BAYYA REDDY. M
For ISHA LAW CHAMBERS LLP
Advocates & Solicitors,
No.101, 2nd Floor, Sri Manjunatha Complex, 22nd Main, BSK 2nd Stage,
Opp: Banashankari BDA Complex,
Bengaluru-560070.

IN THE COURT OF THE XXII ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BANGALORE
O.S. No. 3228/2019 (C.C.H-7)

BETWEEN : Sri. D. Munegowda S/o Late. Doddanna, R/at No.38, D.Nagaraja Layout, Kavalbyrasandra, R.T. Nagar, Bangalore-560032., and another **...Plaintiffs**

AND : Sri. Baldev Singh and another **...Defendants**

NOTICE / SUMMONS TO L.Rs OF DEFENDANT No. 1(a) & (b) U/O V RULE 20 OF C.P.C.

To, **1(a) Smt. Amrit Kaur,** W/o Late. Baldev Singh, Aged about 62 years, **1(b) Sri. Angad Singh,** S/o Late. Baldev Singh, Aged about 40 years,

Both are residing at No.3789, "Begumpura" 8th Cross Road, Appareddypalya, Near Corner House, Indiranagar, Bangalore-560008.

The above named plaintiffs have filed the above suit for declaration and permanent injunction in respect of schedule property have in mentioned below. You are hereby summoned to appear before the said Court **on 22.09.2025 at** Bangalore at 11.00 A.M. in person or through an Advocate duly instructed by you, failing where in the suit will be heard and determined as exparte.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

A vacant area bearing old V.P. Katha No.573 and New Katha No.870, House List No.620, Measuring East to West 50 feet and North to South 40 feet situated at Kaval Byrasandra Gramathana, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore which is bounded as follows:- East by : 40 feet Road (earlier 25 feet Road), West by : Private Property bearing Sy.No. 41, belonging to Plaintiffs, North by : Property bearing House list No. 621, (belonging to Plaintiffs), South by : 15 feet passage belonging to Plaintiffs.

Given under my hand and seal of this court on 20th day of August 2025.

By order of the Court, Senior Sheristedar, City Civil Court, Bengaluru.
B.A. DEVANAND, Advocate
No.101/1, 1st 'B' Cross, Mount-Joy Extension,
Hanumantha Nagar, Bangalore - 560 019.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **Sri K. Sreedhar, S/o A.N. Krishnappa,** residing at No.119, 'Rajvilla', White City, Old Madras Road, Bengaluru-560 049, has instructed me to notify the general public as follows:

My client is the absolute owner in possession of the property described in the schedule given hereunder, having acquired the same through a Sale Deed dated 25/07/2009, registered as Document No. DNH-1-01744/2009-10, Book-I and stored in CD No. DNHD176, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, at Devanahalli, executed by **Smt Parvathamma and her family members**. My client has lost the said original Sale Deed on 07/08/2025 at Sadali village, Sidlaghatta Taluk, Chikkaballapura District. My client has lodged a complaint regarding loss of the sale deed on 13/08/2025 before the Chikkaballapura Police and the police have issued Acknowledgement vide **Lost Report No.1750422/2025.**

If any person found the aforesaid original Sale Deed, kindly handover the same to my address mentioned hereunder. If anyone has already carried out any transaction or any transaction is in process of being carried out using the missing document, kindly inform the undersigned, within **7 days.**

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of agricultural land bearing **Sy.No.227/2,** measuring **1 acre 17 guntas,** situated at **Karahalli village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District,** which is bounded as follows:
East by : Land belongs to Byregowda; West by : Land belongs to R. Nagaraj; North by : Land belongs to Byregowda; South by : Land belongs to Anjanappa and others.

R.MARE GOWDA, B.Sc., LL.B.,Advocate
RMG LAW CHAMBERS
No.6, 2nd Floor, M. Ramaiah Mansion,
Shanthinagar (South), N.H.-207,
Sulibele Road, Devanahalli 562 110.
Mob: 98456 64747

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1 AT BANGALORE
B.S.N.L. Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001

CASE NO: O.A.No.1039/2024

Between:
Axis Bank Ltd., **...Applicant**
And:
Saraswathi Enterprises **...Defendants**
To,
Saraswathi Enterprises Represented by its Proprietor Smt. Saraswathi W/o Sri Kempa Raju, Aged about 48 Years, No.221, Kuvempunagar, Doddipalya Main Road, Chudenapura. Bangalore-560060.

SUMMONS ISSUED TO DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23 (Viii) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES OF 1993 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

Whereas: the applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions, Act, 1993, against the above defendants for the recovery of sum of **Rs. 41,82,211/-** (Rupees Forty One Lakhs Eighty Two Thousand & Two Hundred Eleven Only) amount together with current and future interest, cost and other reliefs.

The above mentioned defendants are required to appear therefore hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly instructed in support of their defence to show cause on **12.03.2026 at 10:30 a.m.** as why the relief's prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on this day. **18.08.2025.**

BY THE ORDER OF THE TRIBUNAL
REGISTRAR-1
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1
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BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1 AT BANGALORE
B.S.N.L. Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001

CASE NO. O.A. No. 1040/2024

BETWEEN :
AXIS BANK LTD., **... Applicant**
AND
UP ASSAM CONTAINER SERVICE
...Defendants

To,
Up Assam Container Service, Represented By Its Proprietor, Mr. Ubaid Ur Rehman, Aged About 44 Years, No.6, Ground Floor, Near Hanuman Temple, Adakamaranahalli Village, Makali Post, Dasanapura Hobli, Dasanapura, Bangalore Rural, Bangalore-562 123.

SUMMONS ISSUED TO DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23 (Viii) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES OF 1993 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

Whereas the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions, Act 1993, against the above defendants for the recovery of sum of **Rs.49,73,717/-** (Rupees Forty Nine Lakhs Seventy Three Thousand Seven Hundred Seventeen Only) amount together with current and future interest, cost and other reliefs.

The above mentioned defendants are required to appear therefore hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly instructed in support of their defence to show cause on **11.03.2026 at 10.30 a.m.** as why the relief's prayed for should not be granted.

Take Notice, that in case default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on this day **14.08.2025.**

BY THE ORDER OF THE TRIBUNAL
REGISTRAR-1
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1
BANGALORE.

EASTERN RAILWAY

Tender No.: BMF-MACHINING-ICF-200, dated: 18.08.2025. Dy. Chief Mechanical Engineer, Bogie Manufacturing Factory, Eastern Railway, 88/1, Adhar Das Road, Budge Budge, Kolkata-700137 invites open E-Tender in single packet system for the following work. **Name of the work:** Bogie Frame Machining using 5 axis CNC Milling Machine and delivery to ICF/Chennai as per scope of work. **Advertised Value:** ₹ 1,27,54,620. **Earnest Money:** ₹ 2,13,800. **Tender Document Cost:** ₹ 0. **Tender Closing Date and time:** 30.08.2025 at 10.30 hrs. **Bidding Start Date :** 16.08.2025. **Date and time of uploading tender:** 16.08.2025 at 16.14 hrs. **Validity of Offer:** 60 Days. **Period of Completion :** 7 months. Website particulars from where tender paper can be downloaded: **www.ireps.gov.in**. Bidders will be able to submit their original/revised bids upto closing date and time only. Manual offers are not allowed against this tender and any such manual offer received shall be ignored. (MISC-171/2025-26)
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IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II BANGALORE, KARNATAKA
4th Floor, BSNL Building,
Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001.

O A No. 1282/2021
IN THE MATTER OF:
UNION BANK OF INDIA,
JAYANAGAR BRANCH,
BANGALORE **...Applicant**
AND
BHAGAWAT SHARAD KUMAR & ANOTHER
...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF RDB ACT, 1993 (as amended)

To.,
1. Sri. Bhagawat Sharad Kumar, S/o. Someswar Rao, House No.1, Municipal No.12/1, 3rd Cross, Poojari Layout, Geddalahalli, RMV Extn, II Stage, II Block, Bangalore-560092.
2. Sri. V. Ramesh, S/o. P.S. Vijaya Kumar, 1000/2, 1st Floor, 1st Cross, 3rd Main, K.N.Extension, Yeshwanthpura, Bangalore-560022. **...Defendants**

Whereas, the Applicant has instituted an application Under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts and Bankruptcy Act, 1993 (as amended), against Defendants No.1 and 2 for a sum of **Rs.7,27,31,590/-**, mentioned in the Original Application together with current and future interest and for other reliefs.

The above mentioned Defendant/s is/are therefore hereby directed to appear before this Hon'ble Tribunal in person or through an advocate or duly authorised agent in support of his/their defense, within **30days** from date of the publication or on **26.09.2025** at **10.30 a.m.** as to why reliefs prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that in case of default the applicant will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this **19th day of July, 2025.**

Registrar,
Debt Recovery Tribunal-II
Bengaluru-560001.

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दिनांक/Dated : 20-08-2025

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भारत के राष्ट्रपति की ओर से निम्नलिखित कार्यों के लिए ई-टेंडरिंग द्वारा ऑनलाइन निविदाएं आमंत्रित की जाती हैं। On behalf of the President of India, online item-rate tenders are invited through E-tendering for the following work.

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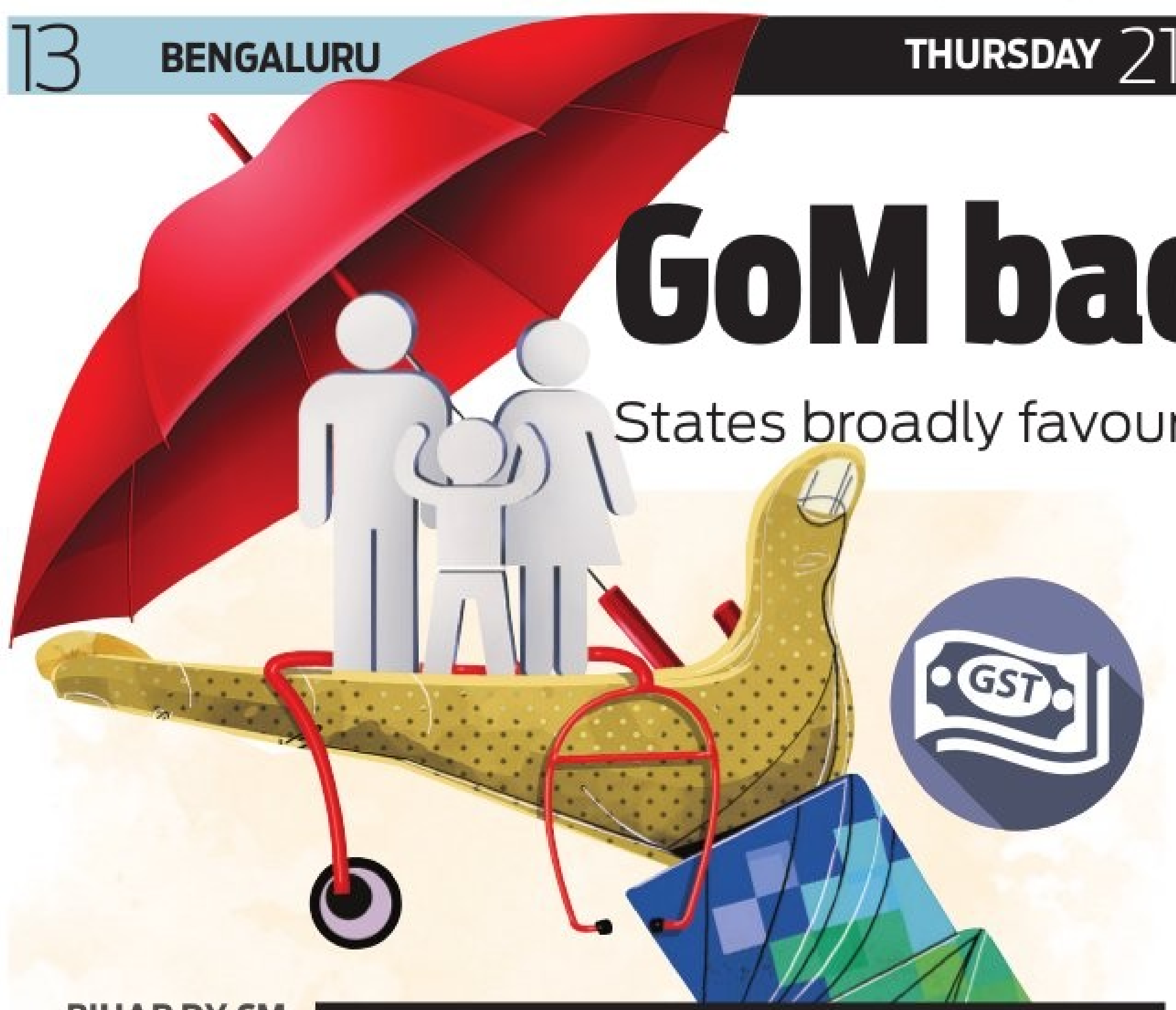
GoM backs zero GST on insurance

States broadly favour a full exemption of GST on individual life and health insurance



BIHAR DY CM SAMRAT CHOUDHARY, WHO HEADS THE GOM, SAID THE PANEL WILL SUBMIT ITS DETAILED REPORT TO THE GST COUNCIL BY OCT FOR DELIBERATION

Weighs GST exemption

Telangana Deputy Chief Minister Mallu Bhatti Vikramarka said the GoM wants mechanisms to ensure the benefit of lower GST is passed on to consumers, not retained by companies

The estimated potential revenue loss to the exchequer if the goods and services tax on life and health insurance premiums is reduced to zero is **₹10,000 crore**

Currently, life insurance premiums taxed at 18%

Govt has proposed **2**-rate GST structure – **5%** and **18%** – doing away with **12%** & **18%** rates

PUSHPITA DEY @ New Delhi

UNDER the proposed goods and services tax (GST) reform agenda, most states have agreed to a zero tax on individual health and life insurance premiums, currently taxed at 18%, Bihar Deputy Chief Minister Samrat Choudhary said after a meeting of the Group of Ministers (GoM) on insurance.

Choudhary, who heads the 13-member GoM, said the panel will submit its detailed report to the GST Council by October for deliberation.

While the GoM broadly favours a full exemption for individual health and life insurance policies, some states have flagged revenue loss concerns that could shape the final outcome at the GST Council's October meeting.

A complete exemption would also deprive insurers of input tax credits on operational costs, which could result in higher premiums or reduced agent commissions. Telangana Deputy Chief Minister Mallu Bhatti Vikramarka said the GoM wants mechanisms to ensure the benefit of lower GST is passed on to consumers, not retained by companies. He estimated potential revenue losses at ₹10,000 crore if GST on insurance is cut to nil. The GoM on Compensation Cess also met on Tuesday. Punjab Finance Minister Harpal Singh Cheema cautioned that removing the compensation cess could result in a revenue loss of ₹21,000 crore for Punjab. "This means there is a need for structural change somewhere," he said.

States such as Punjab have demanded detailed discussions on adjusting for the loss and whether compensation will be provided, though no alternatives were discussed at the meeting. The cess, levied to compensate states for GST roll-out-related losses, is set to expire on March 31, 2026.

Meanwhile, the finance ministry has said that the central government remains committed to building a broad-based consensus with the States in the coming weeks to implement the next generation of GST reforms in the spirit of co-operative federalism.

Union Minister of State for Finance Pankaj Choudhary, the Chief Minister of Goa, the Deputy CM of Bihar, and finance ministers from West Bengal, Punjab, Kerala, and Gujarat attended the GoM meetings on insurance and cess. The GoM on rate rationalisation will meet on August 21 in New Delhi. In a big overhaul of the GST structure, the government has proposed a two-rate – 5% and 18% - structure and do away with 12% and 18% rates.

RBI should remain vigilant on uncertainties over tariff: MPC minutes

BENN KOCHUVEEDAN @ Mumbai

The RBI needs to remain watchful as the uncertainties of tariff wars are still evolving. The current uncertainty on the external front, monetary policy needs to remain watchful

Sanjay Malhotra , Governor, RBI

Despite the Reserve Bank's MPC stated that the impact of the tariff war was not yet priced in, saying, "the times are very, very uncertain," the minutes of the 56th meeting of the MPC point to the trade war uncertainties as the key reason for the status quo on policy rates and the neutral stance.

"The RBI needs to remain watchful as the uncertainties of tariff wars are still evolving," Governor Sanjay Malhotra said while voting for a status quo on key interest rates earlier this month, as per the minutes of the Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) meeting held on August 4-6. The minutes were released by the RBI on Wednesday. Along with the governor, all the other five members of the MPC had voted for retaining short-term lending rate at 5.5% while voting to maintain neutral policy stance. "The current uncertainty on the external front, monetary policy needs to remain watchful," Malhotra said.

Malhotra further noted that global economic uncertainty was due to trade negotiations and geopolitical tensions, though growth has improved due to front-loading exports and fiscal expansion. The domestic economy is growing as projected, with a resilient 6.5% growth rate.

However, addressing the press after the policy announcement, Malhotra had said in response to a query on likely impact of the tariff wars, "we have not assessed the trade war impact on growth as yet, given how very, very difficult and uncertain the situation is as of now. We have already lowered our forecast by 20 bps earlier to 6.5% which factors in trade war impact along with crude oil prices."

The key reason for status quo was that the transmission impact of the delivered 100 bps repo rate cut is not fully passed onto the credit pricing side, the governor added. His deputy, the junior most deputy governor in-charge of monetary policy department Poonam Gupta chipped in saying, "our assessment about the first level impact of the trade war on inflation is negative. It's unlikely the punitive tariffs announced by the US on our exports will have a negative impact on inflation. However, this may change if there is a considerable level in increase in crude prices."

AUTOMOBILES

Tata Motors re-enters South African car mkt

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

HOMEGROWN auto-major Tata Motors has re-entered the South African passenger vehicle market through an alliance with Motus Holdings, the country's leading automotive group. The initial lineup in the African nation includes models such as Harrier, Curvv, Punch, and Tiago models.

Tata Motors first entered the South African PV market in 2004 with Indica and Indigo models. The automaker later exited the market in 2019. TMPV this time will operate through a nationwide network of 40 dealerships, with a plan to expand to 60 by 2026.

The re-entry of Tata Motors into South Africa comes at a time when the automaker is grappling with a prolonged slump in the Indian market. In July 2025, domestic passenger vehicle sales fell 12% year-on-year to 39,521 units, while June sales dropped 15% to 37,083 units, the company's lowest monthly figure in more than three years.

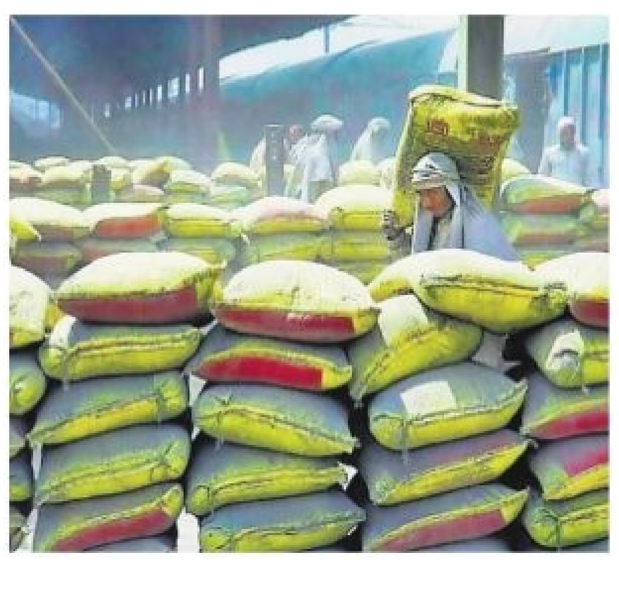
By contrast, Tata Motors' international business has shown strong momentum. Exports surged 186% in July 2025, reaching 654 units. Like Tata Motors, several other automakers are also exploring new global markets to offset weak demand at home. Shailesh Chandra, Managing Director, Tata Motors Passenger Vehicle (TMPV) and Tata Passenger Electric Mobility, said, "Our return to South Africa marks a significant milestone in Tata Motors' global journey. We are excited to bring our new-generation of vehicles—engineered with cutting-edge technology, uncompromising safety, and modern design—to a market that values safety, quality and innovation."

Ultratech to sell 6.5% stake in India Cement

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

ULTRATECH Cement, the country's largest cement maker, has announced a stake dilution of 2.01 crore shares of India Cements, representing 6.49% of its 81.49% stake in the company, through an offer for sale route with a floor price of ₹368.

The boards of both the companies have approved the sale of up to 2.01 crore shares of The India Cements by way of an offer for sale, the company, which is the third-largest cement maker in the world, ex-China, said in an exchange filing.



The Birla group company held 81.49% stake in India Cements as of end June 2025. After the stake sale, it will hold 75% stake. India Cements shares closed nearly 1% lower at ₹370. At the current market price, the 2.01 crore shares would be worth more than Rs 744 crore. Ultratech had acquired 32.72% stake in the Chennai-based India Cements from promoters and their associates in a Rs 3,954 crore deal in July 2024. Besides, it had also announced a Rs 3,142.35-crore open offer to acquire an additional 26% stake from its shareholders.

On Tuesday, addressing the shareholders at the AGM, Birla group chairman Kumar Mangalam Birla said Ultratech Cement was expected to meet its capacity target of 200 million tonne in the ongoing financial year, a full year ahead of schedule.

"With nearly 70% of capex focused on growth, Ultratech is firmly on track to cross 200 mt annual capacity in FY26, a full year ahead of the original FY27 goal. This acceleration places us on an even stronger and more sustained growth trajectory for the years ahead," Birla said in his address.

As of the June quarter, Ultratech had an installed capacity of around 188.8 million tonne. This includes the recent acquisition of Kesoram Industries' cement business.

Nazara shares crash as LS clears Bill on online games

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

SHARES of digital sports company Nazara Technologies crashed 13% on Wednesday after the Union Cabinet approved the Online Gaming Bill, 2025. The Lok Sabha on Wednesday passed legislation to ban online games played with money as it looks to check rising instances of addiction, money laundering and financial fraud through such applications.

The Promotion and Regulation of Online Gaming Bill, 2025, also seeks to prohibit advertisements related to online money games as well as bars banks and financial institutions from facilitating or transferring funds for any of such games.

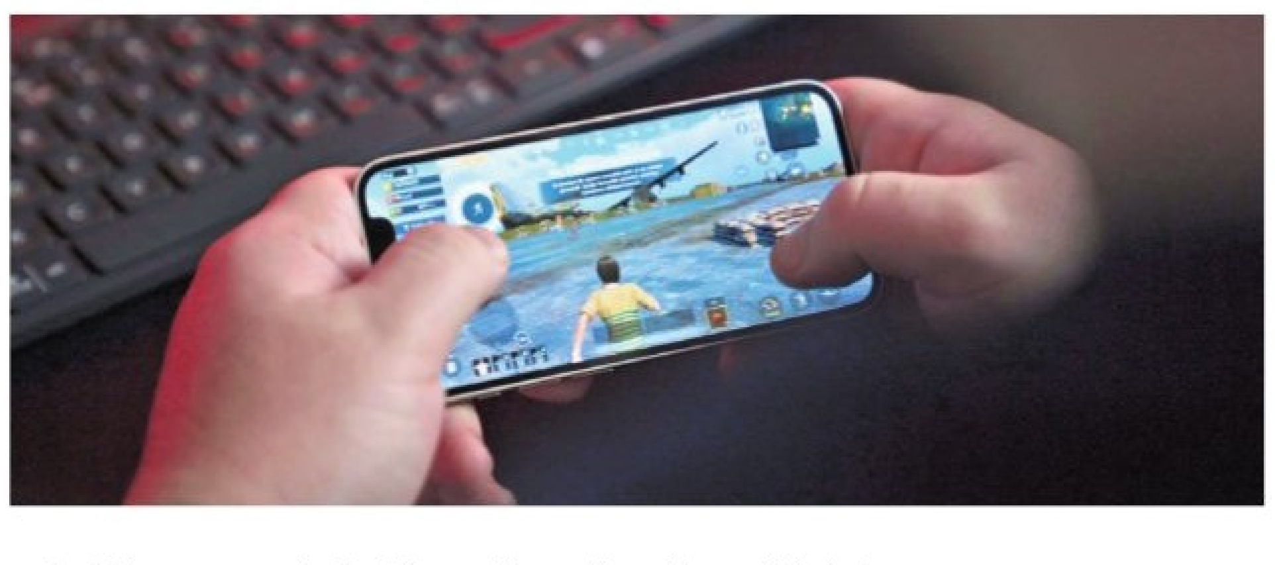
Nazara tanked 12.82% to settle at ₹1,221.65 apiece on the BSE. During the day, it dropped 15.97% to hit an intraday low of Rs 1,177.45. Similarly, OnMobile Global's stock declined 3.53% to settle at Rs 53.27 apiece while Delta Corp, which tumbled 6.47% to ₹87.24 in intra-day trade bounced back and ended at Rs 93.83 each, up 0.59%.

Nazara shares remained under pressure even as it issued a clarification stating that the company has no direct exposure to real money gaming (RMG) businesses and that it does not anticipate any material adverse impact on its operating financial performance (revenue or EBITDA).

"As per its latest reported financials (Q1-26), the contribution to revenues and EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation) by RMG business is NIL," the company said in a filing to the BSE. The company's only indirect exposure to RMG is through its 46.07% stake in Moonshine Technologies Private Limited (PokerBaazi), it added. Brokerage firm Prabhudas Lilladher (PL) has raised concerns over Nazara's investment in PokerBaazi as the latter accounts for about 35% of its valuation.

'Govt will prioritise society over profit, ban money games'

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi



IN a rebuke to online money gaming platforms, the government on Tuesday said it would rather address a major social problem than protecting a small segment of the gaming industry.

As per government sources, online money gaming has become increasingly addictive, leading not only to social harm but also severe financial losses. As a result, the government believes it has no choice but to ban these platforms. A government official stated that around 45 crore players losing money in such games, with an estimated ₹26,000 crore lost annually. The government came up with the Promotion and Regulation of Online Gaming Bill, 2025, which proposes a comprehensive regulatory framework.

The bill seeks to ban platforms offering online money gaming while promoting social gaming and e-sports. "This decision is the result of three and a half years of deliberation," the official said, adding that the government had tried various approaches, including exploring taxation through GST and proposing formation of a self-regulatory body (SRB). It urged industry players to address the problem of addiction and improve transparency.

"But based on feedback from society and Members of Parliament, it is clear: these efforts haven't worked. When the choice was between addressing a social problem or protecting a small segment of the industry, the choice was obvious, we had to prioritise society," said the official.

The Lok Sabha on Wednesday passed the Promotion and Regulation of Online Gaming Bill, 2025. The bill emphasises the need to regulate online gaming in public interest, with a dual focus: banning online money gaming and encouraging e-sports and social games as part of the creative economy. Following the announcement, several major companies—including Dream11, Games24x7, Winzo, GamesKraft, 99Games, KheloFantasy, My11Circle, and Nazara Technologies—are facing what industry insiders describe as an existential crisis.

India, EAEU free trade talks commences in Moscow

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

INDIA and the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU) comprising Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyz Republic and the Russian Federation signed terms of reference (ToR) on Wednesday in Moscow, marking the formal commencement of free trade agreement talks.

As per official figures, bilateral trade reached $ 69 billion in 2024, a 7% rise from the previous year. With the EAEU's collective GDP estimated at $ 6.5 trillion, the anticipated FTA is seen as a vehicle to broaden Indian exporters' reach, diversify into fresh sectors and territories, and unlock fresh opportunities for micro, small and medium enterprises (MSMEs).

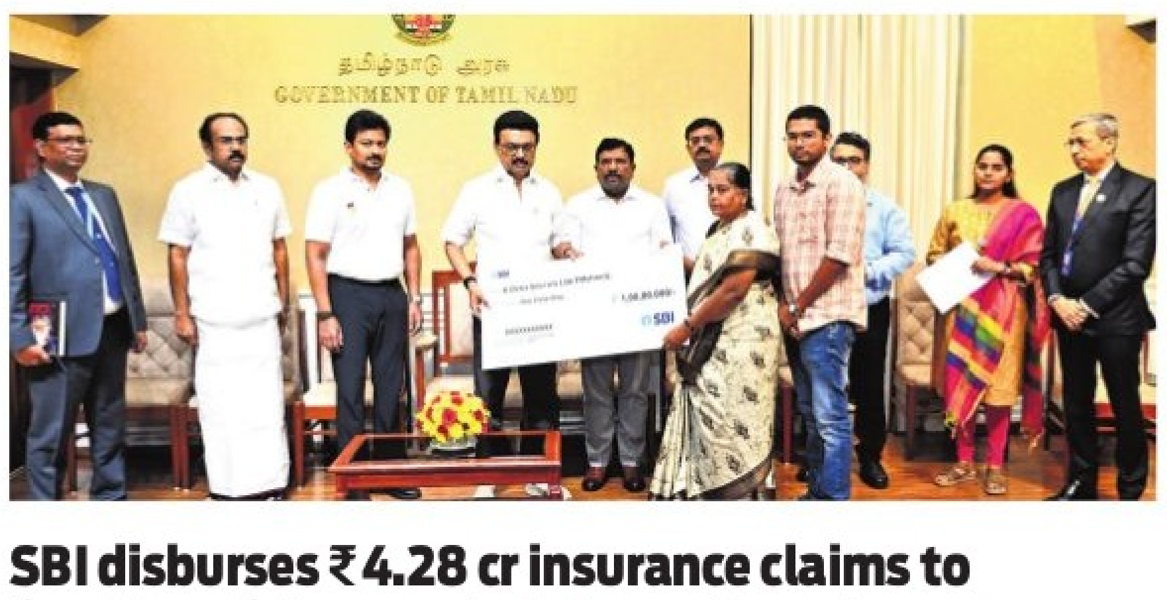
Previously, commerce secretary Sunil Barthawal assured India will get into more FTAs with countries and fast tracking the ongoing FTA negotiations to ensure exporters can expand their market to tap new countries with new products. The ministry is taking measures to ensure that exporters remain safe guarded from the current geopolitical turmoil.

Russia has been one the top trading partners of India in the bloc, with bilateral trade worth $68.72 billion in 2024-25 (exports $4.88 bn and imports $63.84 bn). "The ToR provides the framework for negotiations and is likely to unlock untapped trade potential, increase investments and establish a stronger, durable India–EAEU economic partnership. Both sides reaffirmed their commitment to the early conclusion of the agreement and to building a long-term institutional framework for trade cooperation, " the ministry statement said.

Business & Beyond

CLW rolls out the 300th locomotive of FY2025-26

Chittaranjan: CLW has manufactured 302 locos in 115 working days in the financial year 2025-26. The 300th electric locomotive of FY26 was rolled out on 14.08.2025 from CLW workshop premises. A total of 302 locos were manufactured as of 14.08.2025 comprise 228 from CLW Chittaranjan & 74 from Dankuni Ancillary Unit. This accomplishment was achieved in a record 115 working days, marking the fastest production rate of 300 locos in any fiscal year. CLW's ancillary unit at Dankuni has contributed immensely in achieving this milestone of 302 locos. It has produced 74 locos,. This year's production of record 300 locos is achieved in 115 days posting an advance production by 33 working days compared to the production of the same number of locomotives during last financial year 2024-25, which was rolled out on 24.09.2024 in 148 working days.



SBI disburses ₹4.28 cr insurance claims to families of deceased state govt employees

SBI settles ₹1crore personal accident insurance and add-on benefits up to ₹20 lakh for state government salary package and police salary package employees. Under the Memorandum of Understanding with the Government of Tamil Nadu for salary package accounts, State Bank of India disbursed insurance claim settlements amounting ₹4.28 crore to four families of deceased state government employees. The cheques were handed over at the Secretariat by Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu MK Stalin, in the presence of Chief General Manager of State Bank of India, Chennai Circle Vivekanand Choubey and General Manager Joby Jose. The gesture reflects SBI's commitment to standing with bereaved families, providing timely financial relief and a message of solidarity in their time of loss.

SCI inducts LPG carrier "SAHYADRI" into fleet, strengthens position

The Shipping Corporation of India (SCI) has taken a major step in strengthening its LPG transportation capabilities with induction of a Very Large Gas Carrier (VLGC), SAHYADRI, into its fleet on the eve of 79th Independence Day. In alignment with the Government of India's Maritime AmritKaal Vision 2047 and Maritime India Vision 2030, and under the guidance of the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways (MoPSW), SCI is expanding its fleet to augment tonnage under the Indian Flag and promote self-reliance in shipping. SarbanandaSonowal, Minister of MoPSW, said, "This is how our Hon'ble Prime Minister's vision for Atmanirbharta in Shipping is being turned into a reality".

INFOSYS ANNOUNCES 80% BONUS AFTER STRONG SHOW IN Q1

SANAL SUDEVAN @ Chennai

INDIA'S IT major Infosys has announced a performance bonus payout of an average 80% to its qualifying employees for the Q1FY25, according to an internal memo shared with the employees.

This comes after Infosys recorded strong earnings in the first quarter. The company posted a rise of 8.7% growth in net profit from Rs 6,368 crore in Q1FY26 compared to Rs 6,921 crore in the corresponding quarter a year s.

The company said the bonus payout percentages have been tied to performance ratings across different levels. Infosys, in its communication to the employees, said individual bonus letters will be uploaded to employees' e-dockets.

The company had attributed the rise in net profit to a strong deal in the pipeline, positive customer sentiments from key markets and significant traction for AI and consolidation deals. During the last quarter, the company won a large deal worth Rs 3.8 billion with 55% coming from new clients.

Last week, another IT major Cognizant had also announced that it will roll out salary hikes for nearly 80% of its eligible employees effective November 1. Cognizant posted a 14% year-on-year rise in net income to $645 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2025, compared to $566 million a year ago.

Similarly, TCS has also said it will roll out a salary increment for nearly 80% of its workforce from September 1. The decision came after the company laid off 12,000 employees in the current financial year.

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through KPP Portal Only)

KPCL invites tenders in two covers through GoK KPP Portal: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** from the Competitive Bidders/Contactors/Agencies/ Authorized Dealers having adequate experience in similar works and financial turnover for the following works.

KALINADI HYDRO-ELECTRIC PROJECT

1). KPCL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT3333, Date: 12.08.2025. Safe Disposal of released and recovered SF6 gas at Kadra and Kodasalli Power Houses. EMD: **Rs. 2,700/-.** Work Completion Period: **One month from the date of Work Order.** Last date for submission/uploading the bid in e-portal: **28.08.2025 upto 17:30Hrs.** Further details contact: **Superintending Engineer(Electrical) Kadra, KPCL, Kadra, Karwar Taluk, Uttara Kannada District.** Mobile: **94482 26369,** E-mail: **seekadrakpcl@karnataka.gov.in/seekadrakpcl@yahoo.co.in.**

VARAHI HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT

1). KPCL/2025-26/IND1940, Date: 13.08.2025. Supply of Batteries and inverter to VHEP. EMD: **Rs. 18,530/-.** Last date for receipt of completed bids: **28.08.2025 upto 15:00Hrs.** Further details contact: **Executive Engineer(MSP)H, VHEP, KPCL, Hosangadi - 576282.** Mobile: **94481 82618** during office hours.

2). KPCL/2025-26/SE0282, Date: 14.08.2025. Periodical special assistance for maintenance works of Turbine division of VUGPH for a period of one year with vehicle for conveyance and extendable for one more year based on satisfactory performance amounting to approximately **Rs. 31.90 Lakhs(Exclusive of GST).** EMD: **Rs. 63,805/-.** Last date for online submission of bids: **30.08.2025 upto 17:00Hrs.** Further details contact: **Executive Engineer(Turbine)Varahi, KPCL, Varahi Hydro Electric Project, Hosangadi-576282, Kundapur Taluk, Udupi District.** Mobile: **91416 21259** during office hours.

3). KPCL/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT3334, Date: 13.08.2025. Improvements to approach road to Malali School from Sandodi Bridge near Malali village, Karimane Panchayat. - Under CSR Scheme. Amount put to tender: **Rs. 63.56 Lakhs(Excluding of GST).** EMD: **Rs. 1,27,200/-.** Last date for tender submission : **29.08.2025 upto 16:00Hrs.** Further details contact: **Executive Engineer(Civil)M, VHEP, KPCL, Masthikatte, Hosanagara, Shivamogga District.** Mobile: **94495 98842** during office hours. Website: **https://kpcl.karnataka.gov.in.**

CAUVERY NEERAVARI NIGAMA LIMITED

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No.07/2025-26 Date: 08.08.2025

KPPP SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (TWO COVER SYSTEM) (Through KPPP only)

On the behalf of the Managing Director, CNNL, Bangalore, the Executive Engineer, CNNL, Hemavathi Canal. Division, Yediyur the undersigned invites tender on item rate basis from contractors for 04 Works.

The minimum amount put to tender is 16.92 lakhs and the maximum amount put to tender is 79.20 lakhs.

The Time Fixed for completing the works for Sl.No 1 and 2, 02 Months. And Sl.No 3 and 4, 03 Months EMD Amount and Processing fees should be paid through KPP Portal. The last date for tender Queries/ Clarifications is 18.08.2025 up to 5.00 pm, The last date for Receival of tenders along with EMD is 21.08.2025 up to 5:00 pm. Technical Bid will be opened on 22.08.2025 at 5.00 pm. For more information visit www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
Hemavathy Canal Division, CNNL, Yediyur.

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केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government Of India Undertaking)

Regional Office West,
Chitrapur Bhavan, 8th Main, 15th Cross,
Malleshwaram, Bengaluru – 560055

POSSESSION NOTICE

APPENDIX IV under Rule 8 (1) (SECTION 13(4)) (For Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, RPC Layout Branch, Bengaluru,** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **29.05.2025** calling upon the Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors, **(1) Mr.Kiran Bhairannavar,** No.19/2, Cavalry Lines, Delhi University, North Delhi, Delhi-110007, and also at: GV Design, No. 19 A, Main Road, Marenahalli 2nd Phase, J. P. Nagar, Bengaluru-560078, **and Guarantor, (2) Mr.Dilip Kumar. R** S/o Mr.Rajendra, No.11, Ramakrishna Building, Borewell Road, HAL Post, Annasandrapalya, Bengaluru North, Bengaluru-560017, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.48,29,948.32** (Rupees Forty Eight Lakhs Twenty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty Eight and Paisa Thirty Two Only) as on **28.05.2025** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **19th August 2025.**

The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Canara Bank** for an **Rs.48,29,948.32** (Rupees Forty Eight Lakhs Twenty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty Eight and Paisa Thirty Two Only) **as on 28.05.2025** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY

ITEM NO. 1: All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residentially converted property bearing Sy No.69, measuring 02 Acres 02 Guntas, vide Conversion order bearing No.ALN(AJ)SR/61/2014-15 dated 16-01-2014, situated at Hennagara Amanikere Village, Jigani Hobli, Bengaluru Urban District.

ITEM NO. 2: All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residentially converted property bearing Sy No.73, measuring 1 Acre 03 Guntas, vide Conversion order bearing No.ALN(AJ)SR/99/2014-15 dated 16-03-2015, situated at Hennagara Amanikere Village, Jigani Hobli, Bengaluru Urban District.

ITEM NO. 3: All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residentially converted property bearing Sy No.74, measuring 13 Guntas, vide Conversion order bearing No.ALN(AJ)SR/99/2014-15 dated 16-03-2015, situated at Hennagara Amanikere Village, Jigani Hobli, Bengaluru Urban District.

ITEM NO. 4: All that piece and parcel of the Immovable residentially converted property bearing Sy No.74, measuring 13 Guntas, vide Conversion order bearing No.ALN(AJ)SR/99/2014-15 dated 16-03-2015, situated at Hennagara Amanikere Village, Jigani Hobli, Bengaluru Urban District.

ITEM NO. 5: All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residentially converted property bearing Sy No.74, measuring 14 Guntas, vide Conversion order bearing No.ALN(AJ)SR/99/2014-15 dated 16-03-2015, situated at Hennagara Amanikere Village, Jigani Hobli, Bengaluru Urban District.

ITEM NO. 6: All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residentially converted property bearing Sy No.74, measuring 12 Guntas, vide Conversion order bearing No. ALN(AJ)SR/99/2014-15 dated 16-03-2015 situated at Hennagara Amanikere Village, Jigani Hobli, Bengaluru Urban District.

ITEM NO. 7: All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residentially converted property bearing Sy No.74, measuring 12 Guntas, vide Conversion order bearing No.ALN(AJ)SR/99/2014-15 dated 16-03-2015, situated at Hennagara Amanikere Village, Jigani Hobli, Bengaluru Urban District

ITEM NO. 8: All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residentially converted property bearing Sy No.76, measuring 1 Acre 24 Guntas, vide Conversion order bearing No.ALN(AJ)SR/02/2014-15 dated 05-09-2014, situated at Hennagara Amanikere Village, Jigani Hobli, Bengaluru Urban District.

COMPOSITE SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY : All that Piece and Parcel of the immovable Residentially converted property bearing Sy No.69, measuring 02 Acres 02 Guntas, Sy No.73, measuring 1 Acre 03 Guntas, Sy No.74, measuring 13+13+14+12+12=1 Acre 24 Guntas, Sy No.76, measuring 1 Acre 24 Guntas, in all measuring 6 Acres 13 Guntas, vide Conversion order bearing No.ALN(AJ)SR/61/2014-15 dated 16-01-2014, ALN(AJ)SR/99/2014-15 dated 16-03-2015 and ALN(AJ)SR/02/2014-15 dated 05-09-2014, situated at Hennagara Amanikere Village, Jigani Hobli, Bengaluru Urban District and bounded on the : East by : Sy No. 77, West by : Sy Nos. 71, 65 and 64, North by : Sy No. 75 & Nala, South by : 45 Meters Road

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY : An undivided share of land measuring 1,200 share, right, title and interest over Schedule 'A' property at "Castleton Greens" in composite Schedule 'A' Property and bounded on the : East by : Villa No.58, West by : Road, North by : Villa No 64, South by : Villa No. 62

SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY : A 3 BHK bedroom Residential Unit bearing No.63, on the Ground and First Floor of the Building known as "Castleton Greens" constructed in the Schedule 'A' Property, having a Super Built Up Area of 2,047 Square Feet which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and wall between the building.

Date : 19.08.2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Canara Bank**

CAUVERY NEERAVARI NIGAMA NIYAMITHA

(A Govt of Karnataka Enterprises)
O/o The Executive Engineer, CNNL., No.2 VCC Division, Mysuru District - 570020
Ph.0821-2515598 Email: eevccdn2@gmail.com

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

No.07/2025-26, **Dated: 19.08.2025**

Item wise tenders are invited in KPP Portal by the Executive Engineer, No.2 VCC Division, Mysuru on behalf of the Managing Director CNNL Bengaluru from eligible registered contractors. All the required documents are to be uploaded along with the tenders. For 02 works (01 work of Dasara Tableau and another work of construction of Stall at Dasara exhibition) with Estimate cost of Rs.20.00 Lakhs & Rs.95.00 Lakhs. Last date for tender queries/clarification is **26-08-2025 till 04.30 pm,** last date for online submission of tender with EMD is **26-08-2025 till 05.30 pm,** Date of opening of bids is **28-08-2025 at 11.30 am.** For further details, contact the above said during office hours and through KPP-portal by logging in **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in.**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, CNNL., No.2 VCC Division, Mysuru

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ಸಹಿ/-
ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥಾಪಕ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Senior Assistant Director of Horticulture,
BBMP, Rajarajeshwari Nagara Zone, Bengaluru.

No.: SADH/RRN/TENDER/12/2025-26 **Date: 20.08.2025**

INVITATION FOR RE-TENDER (IFT)

(Short Term) (Two Cover System)
(Through GOK e-Procurement Portal Only)

Senior Assistant Director of Horticulture (Rajarajeshwari Nagar), (Referred to as Employer in these documents) invites tenders to implement in accordance with KTPP Rules 2000, from eligible and experienced Person / Agencies / Firms (Referred to as Tenderers in these documents) registered in Security Services to Parks. **(Standard tender document: KW-1, KW-2, KW-3 & KW-4).**

Sl. No.	Name of the Work
1	Security Services to parks in Rajarajeshwarinagara Constituency. **Estimate cost:** 1,50,00,000/-, **EMD Amount:** 2,25,000/-. **Category:** Others.

Calendar of Events: (1) The tender documents may be downloaded from Government of Karnataka e-procurement website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** from **21.08.2025. (2)** Pre bid meeting: **25.08.2025, 12:30 p.m. (3)** Tender Closing date: **28.08.2025, 5:00 p.m. (4)** Technical bid opening date: **29.08.2025, 5:00 p.m.** onward. **(5)** Financial bid opening date: **After approval of Technical bid.** Further details may be obtained from the above office, during office hours or website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Senior Assistant Director of Horticulture, Rajarajeshwarinagara Zone, BBMP

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No. CEE/T&P/SE-2/2025-26/4623-43 **Date: 20.08.2025**

BRIEF SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through KPP Portal Only)

Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited invites Bids on electronic mode for the following works against following enquiry numbers on **Partial Turnkey basis.**

Enquiry numbers / Name of the Works
1) KPTCL/2025-26/SS/WORK_INDENT2561
Establishing 2X20MVA, 66/11kV sub-station at **Hirekogaluru** and construction of 66kV LILO line from the existing 66kV Davanagere-Kukkawada-Lingadahalli DC line to the proposed 66/11kV Hirekogaluru sub-station for a distance of **8.37km** with Coyote conductor in Channagiri Taluk, Davanagere District.
2) KPTCL/2025-26/SS/WORK_INDENT2556
Establishing 1x20MVA, 110/33kV & 2x20MVA, 110/11kV sub-station at **Anthapura village** including construction of two additional 110kV line terminal bays at 110/11kV KIADB Kuduthini sub-station for the work of construction of 110kV DC line with Panther conductor from proposed 110/33/11kV Anthapura sub-station and construction of 110kV DC line on DC towers using Panther conductor from existing 110kV KIADB Kuduthini sub-station to proposed 110/33/11kV sub-station at Anthapura Village for a distance of **14.980km** in Sandur Taluk, Ballari District.
3) KPTCL/2025-26/SS/WORK_INDENT2557
Establishing 2X20 MVA 110/11 kV sub-station at **Koralli (Hikkanagutti)** and construction of 110 kV LILO line with Lynx conductor from existing one of the circuit of 110kV Aheri(Sindagi)-Almel DC line to the proposed 110/11kV Koralli(Hikkanagutti) sub-station for a distance of **3.063km** in Sindagi Taluk & Vijayapura District.
4) KPTCL/2025-26/SS/WORK_INDENT2559
Establishing 2x20MVA, 110/11kV sub-station at **Yelihadalagi** and construction of 110kV LILO Line with Lynx conductor from existing 110kV Athani-Aigali line to proposed 110/11kV sub-station at Yelihadalagi for a distance of **3.472km** in Athani Taluk, Belagavi District.
5) KPTCL/2025-26/SS/WORK_INDENT2560
Establishing 2x20MVA, 110/11kV sub-station at **Telasang** and construction of 110kV DC Line with Panther conductor from the existing 110kV Kakamari sub-station to proposed 110/11kV sub-station at Telasang for a distance of **7.903km** along with construction of 2Nos. of 110kV terminal bays at Kakamari sub-station in Athani Taluk, Belagavi District.

The bids will be received through electronic tendering mode only. The details regarding participation in the E-Tendering process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyperlink "E Procurement KPTCL" or **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **25.08.2025 @ 15:00hrs.** Last date & time for receipt of Bids is **15.09.2025 @ 15:00hrs. Any extension of Due date for Bid submission will be intimated in the Karnataka Public Procurement portal.** Any details required in this regard can also be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

All Corrigendum/Addendums shall be noticed by the bidders before the last date of submission of the Bids.

Sd/- Chief Engineer (Electy),
Tendering & Procurement, KPTCL, 3rd Floor,
Kaveri Bhavan, Bengaluru - 560 009.

Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation Limited

(A Joint Venture of GoI & GoK)
Metro Rail Depot, Old Madras Road, Near NGEF Bus Stop,
Baiyappanahalli, Bengaluru-560 038 Ph:080-25191039
e-Mail: contactus@bmrc.co.in Website: www.bmrc.co.in

Bid No. BMRCL/2025-26/BD/WORK_INDENT115 Date: 20.08.2025

TENDER NOTIFICATION

BMRCL invites tenders from eligible Tenderers for **"Providing Epoxy Flooring at the repair bay and Pit Wheel Lathe shed including fabrication and other civil works at whitefield Depot".** The works details can be obtained from the procurement website. The Tender documents can be obtained and submitted **on or before 18.09.2025 up to 15:00 Hrs.** Further details can be obtained from website at **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or contact this office during office working Hours.

Sd/- Executive Director (O&M)

Government of Karnataka

RURAL DRINKING WATER SUPPLY & SANITAION DEPARTEMENT, DIVISION, CHITRADURGA .

Phone No.: 08194-234488 e-mail: eerdwsd.chd@gmail.com

Tender Notification No: EE/RDWS&SD/CTA/JJM /Tender/ 2025-26/308 Date: 18.08.2025

Tender Notification (Call-2)

Through e-procurement

Tender has been invited for the following work Under JJM Schemes (Batch-2) in Single and Two cover system through kppp-procurement. Eligible tenders may obtain the details and tender documents and submitted the filled tender online through website view.http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in. Chitradurga Taluk 01 Work Rs. 78.43 Lakhs Last Date for Receipt of Bids Dt: 28.08.2025, Technical Bid Opening 29.08.2025 and Financial Bid Opening 30.08.2025 For Further details Office of Executive Engineer and also through e-port web site http:// kppp.karnataka.gov.in.

DIPR/CTA/KSMCA/ 296/2025-26

Sd/- Executive Engineer
RDWS&S Division, Chitradurga

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

(Tiruchchirappalli Division)
E-Tender Notice No: T-SG-36-I-20-24-2025-2026 Dt: 18.08.2025.

Sr. Divisional Signal & Telecommunication Engineer, Southern Railway, Tiruchchirappalli invites online tender on behalf of The President of India, for the following works **up to 14.00 hrs on 11.09.2025.**

Item No.	Tender Notice No.	Name of the Work
1.	T-SG-36-I-20-2025-2026	Telecommunication arrangements Construction of mini auditorium in Divisional office and connected relocation of existing SAO(T) offices.
2.	T-SG-36-I-21-2025-2026	Provision of calling on signal below the main line starter signals between SRGM to TLNR Chord line stations.
3.	T-SG-36-I-22-2025-2026	Annual Zonal Contract for S&T gears under the jurisdiction of ADSTE/Tiruchchirappalli for the zonal year 2025-2026
4.	T-SG-36-I-23-2025-2026	Annual Zonal Contract for S&T gears under the jurisdiction of ADSTE/Villupuram for the zonal year 2025-2026.
5.	T-SG-36-I-24-2025-2026	Annual Zonal Contract for S&T gears under the jurisdiction of ADSTE/Mayiladuthurai for the zonal year 2025-2026.

Item No.	Advertised Value	Earnest Money Deposit Amt	Validity Offer	Closing Date and Time	Period of Completion in months
1.	Rs.19.27 Lakhs	Rs.38,500/-	60 Days	11.09.2025 @14:00 Hrs	6 Months
2.	Rs.368.58 Lakhs	Rs.3,34,300/-	60 Days	11.09.2025 @14:00 Hrs	12 Months
3.	Rs.30 Lakhs	Rs.60,000/-	60 Days	11.09.2025 @14:00 Hrs	9 Months (To be completed within 30th June 2026)
4.	Rs.30 Lakhs	Rs.60,000/-	60 Days	11.09.2025 @14:00 Hrs	9 Months (To be completed within 30th June 2026)
5.	Rs.35 Lakhs	Rs.70,000/-	60 Days	11.09.2025 @14:00 Hrs	9 Months (To be completed within 30th June 2026)

If the date of opening of tenders happens to be a declared holiday at a later date, the tenders will be opened on the next working day at the stipulated time.

The detailed Tender Notice, Tender document along with terms & conditions and if any corrigendum to tender is issued can be accessed through https://www.ireps.gov.in/

GST will apply as per extent norms of GOI

Sr. Divisional Signal & Telecommunication Engineer,
DRM Office Complex, Southern Railway,
Tiruchchirappalli - 620001 Tamil Nadu.

RAIL COACH FACTORY KAPURTHALA

On-line bids are invited by PCMM, RCF on behalf of President of India for following items:-

Sr. No.	Tender No. & Due Date	Description	PL No.	Quantity	EMD (Rs.)
1.	02251388 11.09.2025	Centralized procurement of CPCB-IV compliant 500KVA (336KW); 750V, 3 Phase Diesel alternator sets on SITC	33633587 33633319	350 Set 700 Set	5000000
2.	05251649 17.09.2025	SHELL SUB ASSLY KIT FOR LHB COACHES	33553476 33553520	50 Set 100 Set	2000000
3.	02251399 09.09.2025	ETBU	33683025 33683037	96 Set 994 Set	2000000
4.	12251237 11.09.2025	CEILING ARRANGEMENT IN GANGWAY AREA FOR LHB SLR HOG COACHES SET OF FLAT CEILING ARRGT. FOR LHB FIRST AC COACHES		156 Set 28 Set	1,28,310
5.	12251168 17.09.2025	SET OF HAND HOLD ARRANGEMENT WITH METRO TYPE HAND HOLDS FOR 3 PHASE MEMU/DMC & MEMU/TC COACHES (2 types)		94 Set 254 Set	8,03,080
6.	12251243 18.09.2025	SET OF FRP ROOF PANELS FOR 3-PHASE MEMU/DMC COACHES		127 Set	4,25,300
7.	12251246 12.09.2025	SET OF FRP PANELS FOR PARTITION FRAME FOR MEMU/DMC 3-PHASE COACHES		127 Set	1,03,700
8.	15255162 18.09.2025	SPIC Model 1:25 scale with 3D Printing, painting and pad printing		1 Set	4,77,900
9.	17251415 18.09.2025	Set of Fully Automatic Sliding Doors with Mounting Arrangement for Entrance to Passenger Area for LHB First AC Coaches		23 Sets	2,06,260
10.	05251635 18.09.2025	SET OF DOOR CUT OUT COMPLETE		144 Set	134750
11.	12251251 19.09.2025	SET OF LUGGAGE RACK FOR MEMU 3PH COACHES & MEMU/TC 3-PHASE COACHES, (2 types)		121 Set 3735 Nos	3,84,260
12.	05251633 17.09.2025	SET OF CARLINE LINE FOR LHB/GS COACH		75 Set	138950
13.	05251597 15.09.2025	Roof Arch		13932 Nos	337340
14.	05251498 08.09.2025	Set of Doorway Partiton Frame		114 Set	217800
15.	05251601 08.09.2025	Set of Side Buffer Assly		204 Set	955660
16.	05251516 12.09.2025	Set of Final Roof Element		74 Set	211110
17.	05251565 16.09.2025	Front Part		200 Set	1215830

1. For details and making On-line Bids, visit Website **http://ireps.gov.in.** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in** Class III-B digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at **http://www.cce.gov.in 2.** Tenders will close at 14.25 hrs. on due date and tender will be opened at 14.30 HRS. S.No 1 to 12 Tenders will opened at RCF Kapurthala, (Punjab) and S.No. 13 to 17 Tender will opened at RCF Tilak Bridge New Delhi; **3.** For queries, contact IREPS Helpdesk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF helpdesk at 011-23370897

CORRIGENDUM

1. Tender No. 01251225, for BOGIE FRAME ARRANGEMENT FOR 1600HP AC- AC DMU/DPC COACHES & BOGIE FRAME ARRANGEMENT FOR EMU TRAILER COACHES WITH 180/150KN AIR SPRING, **Due date:** To be read as 01.09.2025 instead of 18.08.2025; **2. Tender No.** 05251581 for Procurement of Fully assembled shell for Narrow Gauge coaches, **Due date** To be read as 03.09.2025 instead of 20.08.2025; **3. Tender no.** 12251056A due on 18.08.2025 for Set of Honey Comb partition Frame for LHB SCN with AL FR HPL sheet, Due date: To be read as 27.08.2025 instead of 19.08.2025; **4. Tender No.** 12251057 due on 19.08.2025 for HONEYCOMB PARTITION FRAME SET WITH AL FR HPL SHEET FOR LHB SCN COACH, **Due date:** To be read as 27.08.2025 instead of 19.08.2025; **5. Tender No.** 12251189 for Honeycomb Partition Frame Set with AL FR HPL Sheet for LHB AC 3-Tier Coach: **Due date:** To be read as 26.08.2025 instead of 18.08.2025; **6. Tender No.** 17251028A; **Due date:** To be read as 02.09.2025 instead of 19.08.2025; **7. Tender No.** 17251322, **Due date:** To be read as 22.08.2025 instead of 19.08.2025 **PCMM**

NO. 65-S/2025-26 **Dated: 20.08.2025**

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given to the general public that; my client intends to purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property from its owners 1. Mr. Veeresha Subramanya Javli, 2. Mr. Sachidananda Subramanya Javli, 3. Mr. Anantha J. S., all being children of Late Shivasubramanyam. If any person/s or financial institution having any objection, claim, right, title, interest, or dispute in respect of the schedule property may contact the undersigned with the documentary proof within **Seven (7) days** from the date of this publication, thereafter my client will proceed to complete the transaction without being liable for any claims put forth thereafter.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Property No. 69, BBMP EKhata bearing EPID No. 6714093291, in the Layout formed by RBI Staff Co-operative Housing Society Ltd measuring East to West 30'-00" Feet North to South 41-'06" + 40'-04"/2 Feet, as per BBMP E-Khata East to West 9.14 Meters or 30 Feet and North to South 12.36 Meters or 40.55 Feet in all measuring 112.97 Square Meters or 1216 Square Feet along with a Residential building with built-up area of 167.225472 Square Meters or 1799.998 Square Feet consisting of 1000 Square Feet in Ground Floor and 799.998 in First Floor, and situated at 10th Cross, KOTHANUR Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru District, falling under BBMP Ward No. 195 – Konanakunte, and bounded on:

East By	House/Property No. 68
West By	House/Property No. 70
North By	Road
South By	Private Property

Vijayakumar S, Advocate
No. 49/38, 39th A Cross, 11th Main, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru - 560041.
Mob: 9900966009

Place: Bengaluru Date: 21/08/2025

IN THE COURT OF THE ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE BENGALURU (CCH-28)

O.S No.5274/2024

BETWEEN: Siddarudha M.J, Director of Vardhini Housing Pvt Ltd S/o Jogi gowda, Aged about 42 years, R/At No.9/A, 8th main road, Gnana Jyothi Nagara, Malathahalli Ring Road, Bengaluru-560056 ... **PLAINTIFF**

AND: BTV Kannada News Channel and Others ... **DEFENDANTS**

NOTICE UNDER ORDER 5 RULE 20 OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE, NOTICES/SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT NO 1, 7 & 11

To **Def 01: BTV Kannada News Channel,** No. 32/1-2 Crescent Tower, Crescent Road High-Grounds, Bengaluru-560001. Represented by its CEO

Def 07. Digvijaya News Kannada TV Channel No. 131/3, Lalbhag Road Bengaluru-560027. Represented by its CEO. Def 11. Other All English and Kannada News Channel and You Tube and Social medias.

WHEREAS the above named plaintiff has filed the above suit seeking relief of permanent injunction, restraining the defendants or their agents or any person, action, acting or claiming through from telecasting any stories or news items without any authenticity in respect of the plaintiff herein their Media Channels publications and in any form.

You are hereby called upon to appear before the court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on **24-09-2025** at 11:00 AM. To respond to the prayer made in the suit failing which the matter would be heard and determined ex-parte in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Hon'ble court on 19-08-2025 at Bengaluru.

By order of the court, Senior Sheristedar, City Civil Court at Bangalore.

B.S RAGHUPRASAD, Advocate
No. 7/1, P.T Street, Basavanagudi,
Bangalore.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1 AT BANGALORE

B.S.N.L. Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001

CASE NO. O.A. No. 1214/2024

BETWEEN :
AXIS BANK LTD., ...Applicant
AND
ANN FLUID DYNAMIKS PVT. LTD. & OTHERS ...Defendants

To,

3. Sri. Nayan Raj, S/o, Sri. Purushotham A, Aged About 43 Years, No.99, 2nd Main, 5th Cross, Sarvabhuma Nagar, Chikkalasandra, Bangalore-560 061.

SUMMONS ISSUED TO DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23 (Viii) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES OF 1993 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

Whereas the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions, Act 1993, against the above defendants for the recovery of sum of **Rs.33,16,453/-** (Rupees Thirty Three Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Three Only) amount together with current and future interest, cost and other reliefs.

The above mentioned defendants are required to appear therefore hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly instructed in support of their defence to show cause on **12.03.2026 at 10.30 a.m.** as why the relief's prayed for should not be granted.

Take Notice, that in case default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on this day **18.08.2025.**

BY THE ORDER OF THE TRIBUNAL
REGISTRAR-1
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1
BANGALORE.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1 AT BANGALORE

B.S.N.L. Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001

CASE NO. O.A. No. 1032/2024

BETWEEN :
AXIS BANK LTD., ...Applicant
AND
RISA TRADERS ...Defendants

To,

Risa Traderes Represented By Its Proprietor Mr. Rizwan Baig S/o. Mr. Azam Baig, Aged About 38 Years, Parasmane Apartment, Ground Floor, No.73, 2 Kengeri Satelite Town, R V College Post, Valagerahalli, R V Niketan, Bangalore-560059.

SUMMONS ISSUED TO DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23 (Viii) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES OF 1993 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

WHEREAS: the applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions, Act, 1993, against the above defendants for the recovery of sum of **Rs.20,30,822/- (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Thirty Thousand and Eighty Hundred Twenty Two Only)** amount together with current and future interest, cost and other reliefs.

The above mentioned defendants are required to appear therefore hereby directed to appear before the Tribunal in person or through an Advocate or duly instructed in support of their defence to show cause on **11.03.2026 at 10:30 a.m.** as why the relief's prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case default the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on this day of **14.08.2025.**

BY THE ORDER OF THE TRIBUNAL
REGISTRAR-1
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1
BANGALORE.

WESTERN RAILWAY

MATERIAL MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

CORRIGENDUM TO e-AUCTION SALE PROGRAMME

E-AUCTION SALE NOTIFICATION NO. SIII / AUCTION PROGRAMME-1 / AUGUST-2025 DT-07.07.2025

E-Auction Sale Programme scheduled to be held in the month of **August-2025** at Mahalaxmi & Pardi depot is re-scheduled with modification in **2nd round** as follows:

DEPOT	2nd round	Officer in charge	Contact no.
Mahalaxmi depot	Shifted to 28.08.2025	Deput Chief Materials Manager - Mahalaxmi	022-24929571 09004495750
Pardi depot	Shifted to 28.08.2025	Deput Chief Materials Manager - Mahalaxmi	022-24929571 09004495750

All other terms and conditions will remain unchanged. Please visit **Western Railway** Website of material Management Department **i.e. wr.indianrailways.gov.in** as well as on **www.ireps.gov.in** e-auction portal for further information.

(SII/Auction Programme-2/August-2025 Dt. 19.08.2025) **0519**

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GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
e-procurement Notice

OFFICE OF THE ADDITIONAL CHIEF ENGINEER, PHULBANI MINOR IRRIGATION CIRCLE, PHULBANI

e-mail: micirclephulbani@gmail.com

A-530 **Bid Identification No: NCB-01/DRIP-PMIC/2025-26**

1.	Bid Identification No.	NCB-01/DRIP-PMIC/2025-26
2.	Name of work	Rehabilitation, Improvement and Basic Facility of Parhel Dam in Boudh District of Odisha under DRIP-II
3.	Bid Security (in INR)/ Approx Estimated Cost	Rs. 2,97,000.00/ Rs. 2,97,00,000/-
4.	Bid Processing Fee (INR)	Rs.10,000.00 including GST
5.	Period of completion	11 (Eleven) calendar months including rainy season.
6.	Date & time of Availability of Bid Document in the Portal	21.08.2025 from 10.30AM (IST) to 20.09.2025 up to 3.00 PM (IST)
7.	Bid clarification date & time	03.9.2025 at 11.00 AM (IST) to 12.9.2025 during official working hour
8.	Pre Bid Meeting date, time & venue	12.9.2025 at 11.30 AM (IST) O/o the Additional Chief Engineer, Phulbani M.I. Circle, Phulbani
9.	Last date/Time for receipt of Bid in the Portal	20.9.2025 up to 3.00 PM (IST)
10.	Date, Time and Venue of opening of Technical bid in e-method	20.9.2025 at 4.00 PM (IST), O/o the Additional Chief Engineer, Phulbani M.I. Circle, Phulbani
11.	Date/Time of Opening of Financial Bid	To be intimated after evaluation of Technical Bid

Further details can be seen from the government web site. http://www.tendersodisha.gov.in

OIPR- 32521/11/0009/2526

Sd/- Additional Chief Engineer,
Phulbani Minor Irrigation Circle, Phulbani

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **Smt. BHARATHI.N,** W/o Sri.Visweswaraiah. B.N, is intending to purchase the schedule property from its owner **Smt.SUJATHA** for a valid sale consideration. If any persons having any claims, right, title, interest, whatsoever over the schedule property may forward their objections to under mentioned address in writing, within 10 days from the date of this notice, failing which it will be deemed that there are no claims, right, title or interest by anybody and my client will proceed with the completion of sale transaction and will get register the absolute sale deed of the schedule property in her name.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the site property bearing No.92, P.I.D No.4312010442, situated at 1st Block, Sir M Vishweshwaraiah Layout, Bengaluru, formed by BDA, measuring East to West 9.00 meters, North to South 6.00 meters, totally measuring 54.00 square meters and bounded on;

East by : Site No.85, West by : Road,
North by : Site No.93, South by : Site No.91.

Bengaluru
20-08-2025

V.N.SIMHA., B.Sc.,M.A.,LL.B, Advocate,
No.38/15, WAT Street, Basavanagudi,
Bangalore-560 004. Mobile 9845549487

Salah makes history with third PFA PoTY award

Mohamed Salah became the first player to win the Professional Footballers' Association (PFA) men's player of the year for a third time on Tuesday after guiding Liverpool to Premier League glory. He scored 29 goals and provided 18 assists to propel the Reds to a record-equalling 20th English top-flight title with four games to spare last season.

Post gaming bill, questions aplenty for Indian cricket

If bill becomes law, the wider sporting establishment may be forced to look for sponsors; gaming companies may challenge constitutional validity in court

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN/ GOMESH S @Chennai

INDIA'S burgeoning real money online gaming industry faces one of its biggest challenges after the Lok Sabha, on Wednesday, passed the Promotion and Regulation of Online Gaming Bill, 2025. If the Bill becomes law, the entire ecosystem, touted to be valued at over Rs 2 lakh crore, may crumble.

A day before it was tabled in the Lok Sabha, the industry, led its three associations — the Federation of Indian Fantasy Sports (FIFS), E-Gaming Federation (EGF) and the All India Gaming federation (AIGF) — wrote a letter pleading their case. "Such a blanket prohibition," they addressed to the home ministry, "would strike a death knell for this legitimate, job-creating industry and would cause serious harm to Indian users and citizens. This Bill, if passed, will shut down regulated and responsible Indian platforms, driving crores of players into the hands of illegal matka networks, offshore gambling websites, and fly-by-night operators who operate without safeguards, consumer protections, or taxation." It further stated that this industry was a 'sunrise sector'.

While the industry can continue to offer their services to customers, it can only be the free version. Real money firms like Dream11 and My11Circle can also charge one-time platform fees or may be eligible to start a monthly subscription model but they no longer have stakes.

IPL may feel aftershocks

One of the knock-on effects of a blanket ban could be felt by Indian cricket, especially the lucrative Indian Premier League (IPL). Various IPL teams as well as the competition itself are tied up with various real money gaming firms, including Dream 11 and My11Circle.

Even if Indian cricket will not have a lot of problems onboarding new sponsors — if they want to go down that path — there may be some short term pain. "Fantasy gaming platforms like My11Circle and Dream11 have become heavyweight backers of Indian sports," said Santosh N, managing partner of D & P Advisory, an independent valuation company.

"My11Circle has committed Rs 625 cr for an IPL associate sponsorship slot, while Dream11 has consistently backed franchises such as Punjab Kings, Gujarat Titans, and Sunrisers Hyderabad as title or principal sponsors. My11Circle is currently an IPL associate sponsor at the league level, contributing a large share of central sponsorship revenue. Separately, Dream11 has team-level sponsorships, serving as Title Partner and Principal Partners for some teams. Together, fantasy sports brands account for hundreds of crores in sponsorship inflows, making IPL one of the most exposed properties to a potential ban."

Dream11, as it stands, is the Indian team's 'lead sponsor' but that is scheduled to end after next year's men's T20 World Cup. "Banning it would strip IPL and many smaller leagues of vital funding, compress marketing budgets, and likely curb the steady upward trend in sponsorship revenues." Santosh added. My11Circle also counts a number of active Indian cricketers as their brand ambassadors. Per the bill, they can't endorse any of these products.

SOME REAL MONEY GAMING COMPANIES AND THEIR LINKS WITH INDIAN CRICKET

Dream 11	My11Circle	Vision11
Title sponsor for Team India, Principal/title sponsor for KKR, GT, LSG, PBKS, SRH and Associate/official sponsor for RCB, DC, MI and RR in IPL	official Associate Partner of IPL, co-presenting sponsor, JioHotstar	official sports fantasy partner, CSK

Set for a challenge?

If and when it becomes law, the gaming companies may decide to challenge its constitutionality. Sports lawyers this newspaper spoke to said that fantasy games like Dream11 are 'games of skill' according to a Supreme Court judgment a few years earlier. A Dream11 spokesperson 'declined to comment' for multiple questions raised by this mast. The bill caught a lot of industry stakeholders off guard, especially because this government's previous moves with respect to the online gaming industry was seen as favouring them. It's been reported that the government are now citing national security as well as social issues for this step.

KKR gave me opportunity and fame; will always remain close to my heart: Punjab all-rounder

WILL BOWL A LOT MORE THIS YEAR, SAYS RAMANDEEP

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

ON Tuesday, all-rounder Ramandeep Singh was bowling his first over for Punjab against Hyderabad here at the Murugappa Cricket Ground during the All India Buchi Babu Invitation Tournament when the BCCI announced the T20 Asia Cup squad. Having already played two T20Is for India last year, the 28-year-old Kolkata Knight Riders' player was hopeful despite knowing he hasn't had many chances to make it to the national squad.

Expectedly, his name was not there but Ramandeep didn't regret having a hope. "Every player should have hope to play for India as it's very important," Ramandeep told this daily after Hyderabad chased down a 292-run target against his team to win the contest on Wednesday.

"It's very important to have expectations from yourself but I always believe that I can only control the things which are in my control. I always want to improve. I want to make myself a match winner and every team needs a match winner. If I succeed in doing that I will find a place in the team," added the all-rounder.

A fast bowling all-rounder, Ramandeep said he is ready to bowl fast and a lot of overs this season. "I would not say it's a work in progress (pace bowling) because I think I am ready for it. This wicket here at the venue offered little help for the fast bowlers that's why I didn't bowl much. But people will see me bowling a lot during this year and they will also see me winning matches for Punjab this year. I am a Punjabi and all Punjabi cricketers love hitting sixes. Similarly, I love to bowl fast. So you will definitely see me bowling really quick this season. The goal is to bowl according to the situation and how I can win games for my team. I want to be a match winner — be it through my bowling or through my fielding."

I love red-ball cricket. I was the highest-scorer in the U23 age group in the country. Last year during the Ranji Trophy, I was busy with international cricket. So now, I would like to play a lot of red-ball cricket for Punjab and win matches for the team. — Ramandeep Singh

Obviously disappointed for not making it to the India squad, he felt cricket is all about improving every day and that's what his goal is. "I take it one day at a time and try to improve myself. Be it batting, be it bowling or be it fielding. To be honest, I don't think about the end result. I just think about my process and try to keep improving myself and that's what the goal is. Rest whatever is written for me I am ready for that."

His Punjab teammate Shubman Gill is India Test captain and Ramandeep said he learnt a lot from him. "Nothing is easy. As an individual you have to perform. Nobody performs for you neither they help you carve a niche for you. Experience wise, it definitely helps. Anmolpreet (Singh) is there and Gill is there. Both are my seniors. Last year when Gill played for Punjab in the Ranji Trophy, I learnt a lot from him. He shared his thoughts on how to dominate in Test cricket. He told me a few areas where I have to work and I am working on them and obviously it's been yielding results as well," he said.

"He moulds himself according to the situation which is not easy. He is very tactical I would say. He plays according to wickets. He is not rigid. That's what I have learnt from him — to be flexible. Leaving balls and not giving your wicket is also dominance. That's what I am learning from Gill," Ramandeep added.

Mumbai Indians might be his first franchise in the IPL but it's Kolkata Knight Riders, his existing team in the league, which is close to his heart. Ramandeep said he has a reason to stay loyal to KKR. "I have never played cricket for money. I always wanted to remain loyal to the franchise that has given me an opportunity at the highest level. Phone calls will keep coming. Every team needs good players and luckily I am in that group. But it was KKR that gave me that opportunity and fame so it will always remain close to my heart.

"So when Venky (Mysore) sir (KKR managing director) asked me about their retention plan about me and told me I am free to go to the auction pool to fetch a bigger price, I told him sir 'I want to play for KKR.' Anyway I was playing for ₹20 lakh in the previous season and getting ₹4 crore was a big thing for me."

Full story: newindianexpress.com

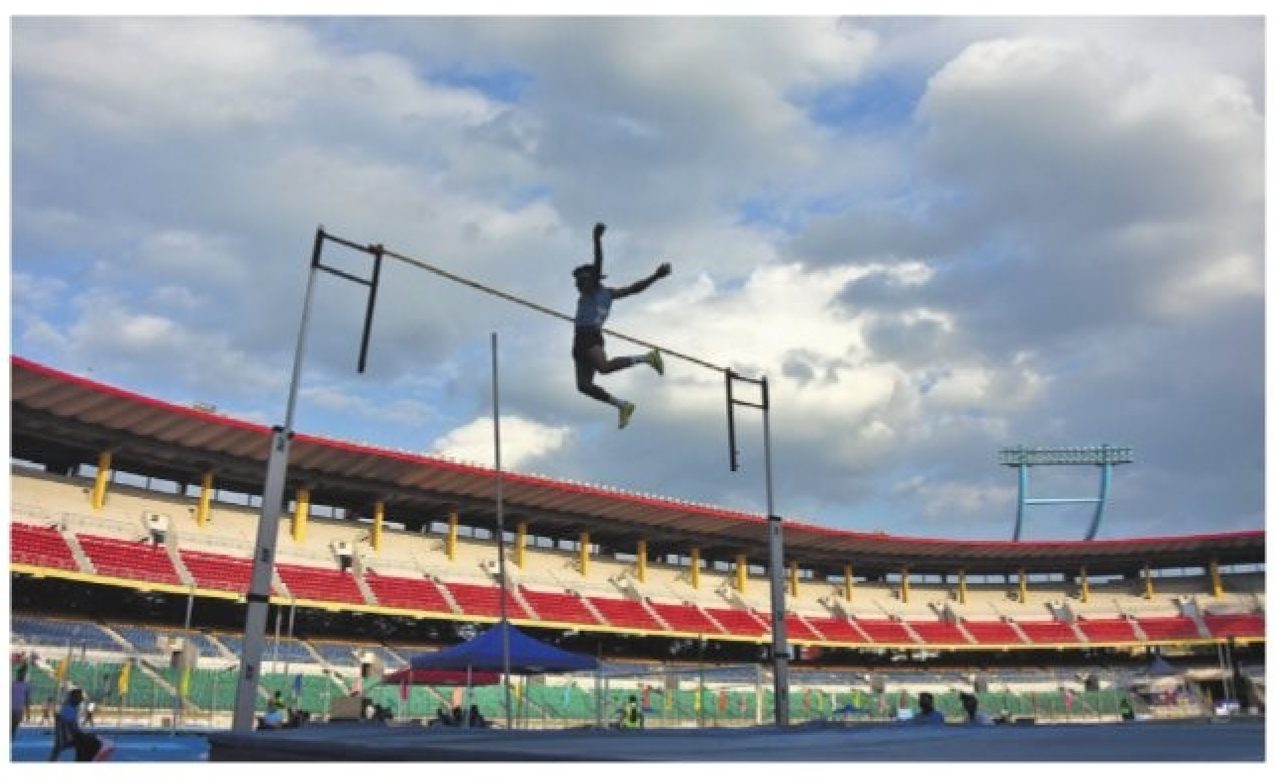
TN athletes shatter meet records, Dhanalakshmi bags gold on return

CHANDRA PRABHU @Chennai

TAMIL Nadu athletes shone bright and ensured a brilliant start to the 64th Senior Inter-State Athletics Championships at the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium on Wednesday.

Dhanalakshmi Sekar (women's) and Tamil Arasu (men's) clinched gold in their respective 100-metre finals. Pole vaulters Reegan Ganesh and Gowtham M finished with a shared gold medal in the men's pole vault finals. Dhanalakshmi was banned for three years in 2022 for failing an out-of-competition dope test. She marked her comeback to a national senior level meet with a sensational run in the women's 100-metre final, clocking 11.36s. Young sprinter Abinaya Rajarajan, who is also from Tamil Nadu, finished second with a timing of 11.58 seconds. "I came here to create a meet record here, but I am happy with this and will aim for a better timing in the next meet," Dhanalakshmi told reporters after her run. When asked about the pressure she felt before coming to the start line, she said: "There was nervousness which I felt held me back from running 11.27-11.28 seconds."

After a tough three years or so, Dhanalakshmi felt that this event was the right platform for her to prove her doubters wrong. "I was confident that I will prove myself again. I began training last year and kept at it," Dhanalakshmi said. But it was not plain-sailing for her. "I didn't do well in the semifinals (11.7s run). That was a minor deterrent, but it didn't impact my belief to win gold," she said.



A pole vault athlete in action during the inter-state athletics meet | ASHWIN PRASATH

In the men's final, Arasu made a brilliant start in a tough battle with previous national record holder Manikanta HH, 2022 inter-state 100 metres champion Amlan Borgohain and up-and-coming sprinter Harsh Raut. He felt that the increased standards set by his competitors on track has helped him evolve. "I wished the likes of Gurindervir (Singh) and Animesh (Kujur) had participated, it would have been a tough fight. Running along with the relay teammates like Amlan and Manikanta has helped me improve, too," he said. Arasu was part of the relay team in the Asian Athletics Championships in May this year. Initially a volleyball player, Arasu took up athletics after his coaches' advice in his college days at PSG college of arts, Coimbatore. "I aimed for the national record here but I am proud to have broken the meet record (of Gurindervir 10.27s in 2021) and clinch a gold medal for the state," he said. His next target is to solidify his place in the national relay team when the Indian Open Athletics event commences next month.

Pole vaulters Gowtham and Reegan shared the top prize after a tough battle in the final. The gold medal was being shared because of them getting past the marks on their first attempts. (5.15m and 5.20m). **Results (winners):** Men's 10,000m Abhishek Pal 30:56.64s; Men's pole vault: M Gowtham and Reegan G 5.20m (meet record); Women's hammer throw: Tanya Chaudhary 63.91m; Women's triple jump: Sandra Babu 13.20m; Women's 100m: Dhanalakshmi 11.36s; Men's 100m: Tamil Arasu 10.22s (meet record); Women's 5000m: Seema 15:42:64s (meet record).

Full story: newindianexpress.com

EXPRESS READ

BFI braces for polls after long turmoil

NEW DELHI: Months of uncertainty due to governance issues, the Boxing Federation of India (BFI) holds its much-delayed elections on Thursday. The hope, finally, is that action inside the ring will reclaim the spotlight.

Chopra to skip last DL meeting in Brussels

NEW DELHI: Through to the high-profile Diamond League Finals, Neeraj Chopra will skip the last leg of the prestigious series in Brussels, Belgium on Friday. Out of the 14 DL meetings, four have men's javelin throw on their roster.

Gukesh bounces back with crushing win

ST. LOUIS (USA): World champion D Gukesh put his opening-round blues behind him and scored an excellent victory over former world rapid champion Nodirbek Abdusattorov of Uzbekistan in the second round of the Sinquefield Cup. R Praggnanandhaa played a quiet game to draw with Fabiano Caruana of the United States.

Chinnaswamy revival priority: Prasad

ENS/AGENCIES

BRING cricket back to Chinnaswamy Stadium was the dominant theme of an august function where former India pacer Venkatesh Prasad took the first solid step towards contesting in the upcoming KSCA elections by releasing the manifesto of his panel on Wednesday.

After the June 4 stampede here in which 11 Royal Challengers Bengaluru fans lost their lives, no matches have taken place at this iconic venue which is now at the risk of losing next month's ICC Women's World Cup matches. 'That's something that shouldn't have happened, (stampede) honestly. We have to be very proactive in liaisoning with the (state) government. We have to ensure that matches are played in Chinnaswamy Stadium as soon as possible,' said Prasad during a press conference. Prasad hinted that his panel of contestants will have 16 members, even though he refrained from naming them at this juncture.

The KSCA elections can be held in October or November as the incumbent regime headed by Raghuram Bhat will complete its three-year term on September 30. "We need to bring back the lost glory as far as the stadium is concerned. We would like to bring back international cricket. It's such an iconic venue 'Chinnaswamy Stadium' which has been standing for the last 50 years. This is something which has never happened where the international matches have been moved out. It is not a good thing," added Prasad.

BUCHI BABU

Chhattisgarh edge past Maharashtra, Hyd win

ASHOK VENUGOPAL @Chennai

CHHATTISGARH beat Maharashtra by 35 runs in the first round of the All India Buchi Babu invitation tournament held at Gurunanak College grounds here on Wednesday. Set a target of 185 for a win, Maharashtra top-order caved into the guile of leggie Shubham Agarwal (6/33) after having conceded a lead in the first innings.

Chhattisgarh win was possible mainly due to Ayush Pandey who made 49 in second innings when the rest of the batting collapsed. "Happy that our team won, feels good to contribute. I have been selected to play for Central one in the Duleep Trophy. So I thought that this (Buchi Babu) tournament was good preparation for Duleep Trophy. Pleased with my effort in the second innings (49)," said Ayush Pandey.

"Last season has given me a lot of confidence. I was the man of the series in the Buchi Babu tournament as well. That also helped me with my confidence," he added. At one point during the chase when Ruturaj Gaikwad was around, Maharashtra hopes of a win were still alive. But Varun Singh got Ruturaj out with a peach of a delivery. From thereon, Agarwal took over and ran through the batting line-up.

M Siddarth took a fifer to help TNCA XI beat Mumbai on Wednesday

BRIEF SCORES: **At Gojan 'A':** TNCA President's XI 274 & 246/5 in 45 ovs (Radhakrishnan 59, Vimal 105; Hritik 3/71) bt HP 214 & 110 in 26.1 ovs (P Vidyuth 4/32, CV Achyuth 3/40); **At Guru Nanak:** Chhattisgarh 252 & 149 in 43.3 ovs (Ayush 49, Ostwal 5/33, Walunj 5/67) bt Maharashtra 217 & 149 in 43.5 ovs (Bawane 66, Agarwal 6/33); **At MRF-Pachaiyappa's:** J&K 393/5 & 69/1 in 19 ovs (Musaif 40 n.o) **bt** Indian Railways 221/8 & (F/o) 238/9 in 45 ovs (Mrunal 49, Vanshaj 4/92, Abid 5/131); **At CPT-IP:** Baroda 381/6 & 256 in 44.4 ovs (Nitya 54, Mohit 58, Harsh 81, Sumit 6/55) **bt** Odisha 352 & 172 in 36.4 ovs (Sambit 46, Aryan 5/71, Pradip 4/56); **At Gojan 'B':** Mumbai 412/5 & 178 in 44.1 ovs (Suved 40, M Siddharth 5/66, M Shahrukh Khan 3/16) **lost to** TNCA XI 325/5 & 268/8 in 44.1 ovs (B Sachin 115, SR Athish 57); **At AM Jain:** Haryana 415/9 & 230 in 44.2 ovs (Dalal 65, Vishal 6/66, Vikas 3/61) **bt** Bengal 381 & 164 in 38.1 ovs (Sumanta 55, Sindhu 6/39); **At SRMC:** Jharkhand 176 & 212 in 39 ovs (Shikhar 49, Adity 6/73) **lost to** MP 317/6 & 74/2 in 18.3 ovs (Akhil 30 n.o.); **At TI-Murugappa:** Punjab 348/5 & 298/8 decl in 39.5 ovs (includes 15 runs for slow over rate penalty). (Prabhsimran 59, Anmolpreet 73, Arora 68, T Ravi Teja 3/70) **lost to** Hyderabad 355/7 in 90 ovs (M Abhirath 74 (retd hurt), Goud 74 n.o) & 294/6 in 41 ovs (Tanmay 163, Hima 50).

ASIAN SHOOTING C'SHIPS

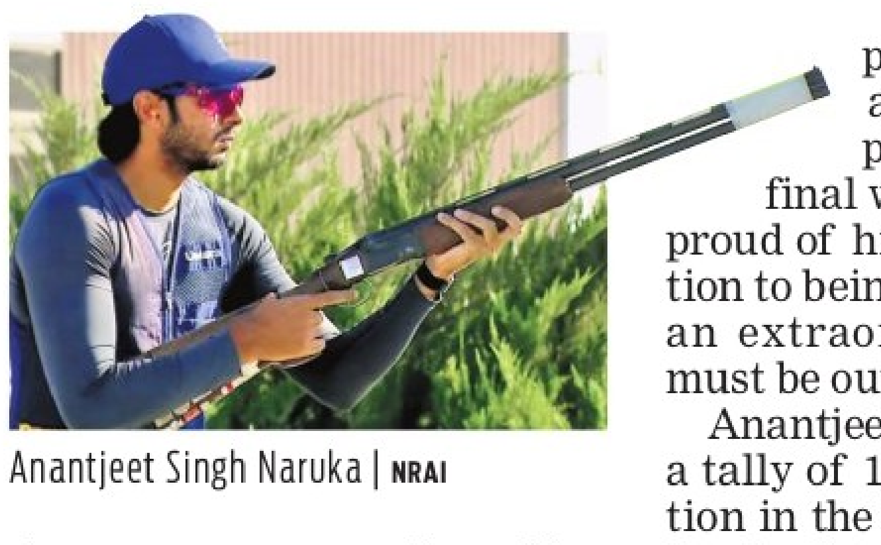
This must be our starting point: Coach after Anantjeet's gold

ANMOL GURUNG @Chennai

SKEET shooter Anantjeet Singh Naruka was locked on to the task at hand, gunning down clay pigeons at will in the late afternoon at the Shooting Plaza in Shymkent on Wednesday.

With the gold in sight, the 27-year-old was a picture of determination as he inched closer and closer to his goal at the ongoing Asian Championships in Kazakhstan. There were some blips for the Indian with veteran Mansour Al-rashidi of Kuwait, his closest challenger, testing his will. Anantjeet had faced a somewhat similar challenge in the last edition and had narrowly missed out on the yellow metal. Despite Al-rashidi's pressure, the Jaipur shooter remained ice cool and flipped the script this time around to earn himself a gold medal, India's first in the senior category in the ongoing continental meet. Anantjeet was spot on from the word go and had just three misses in the 60-shot marathon final, finishing with a tally of 56. Al-rashidi was just one behind. Qatar's Al-Ishaq Ali Ahmed AO was the third-best in the six-man final.

Foreign coach Riccardo Filippelli was closely following the final unfold. The Italian, a former champion shooter himself, is naturally stoked with this outcome. "The competition was very complicated because of the strong wind and terrible organization. Anantjeet had been receptive from the very beginning and did a camp in Italy before this competition," he told this newspaper from Shymkent. "I can only say that he (Anantjeet) was fantastic in everything... had great preparation and had a great attitude. His performance in the final was impeccable. I'm proud of him because in addition to being a champion, he is an extraordinary guy. This must be our starting point."



Anantjeet Singh Naruka | NRAI

Anantjeet had returned with a tally of 119 in the qualification in the morning to qualify for the finals. Even though the skeet shooters have been playing second-fiddle to the rifle and pistol colleagues, Anantjeet's gold-medal outcome is not a massive surprise. Despite not making the finals in the World Cups earlier this year, Anantjeet has been a one of the competitive shooters from the shotgun category in the last few years or so. During the said phase, he has a World Cup final medal to his name and is also a Asian Games silver medallist.

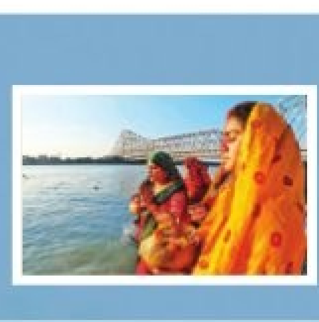
Even though Filippelli officially took charge of the national skeet team this year, he was no stranger to the Indians. He had helped Anantjeet secure the Paris Olympics ticket last year in the last edition of the championships.

Bronze for Saurabh, Suruchi

Saurabh Chaudhary and Suruchi Singh captured a bronze medal in the 10m air pistol mixed team competition.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

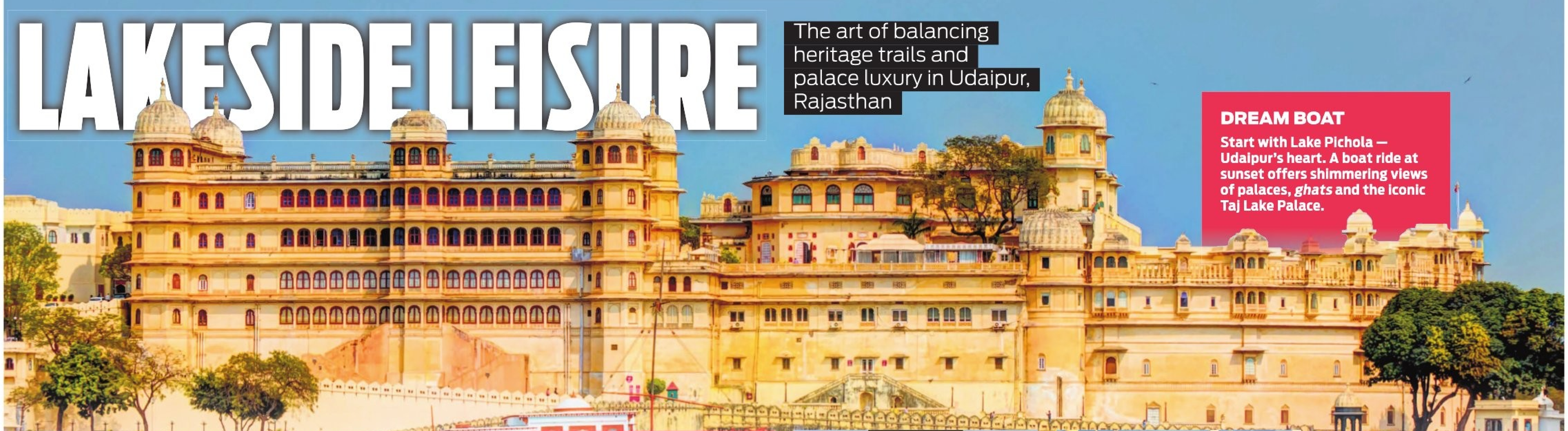
Indian Railways to transform current stations with airport-style upgrades soon



Delhi Tourism Plan 2025 unveils Yamuna Cruise, Chhath Ghat and Heritage Circuit

LAKESIDE LEISURE

The art of balancing heritage trails and palace luxury in Udaipur, Rajasthan



City Palace Udaipur

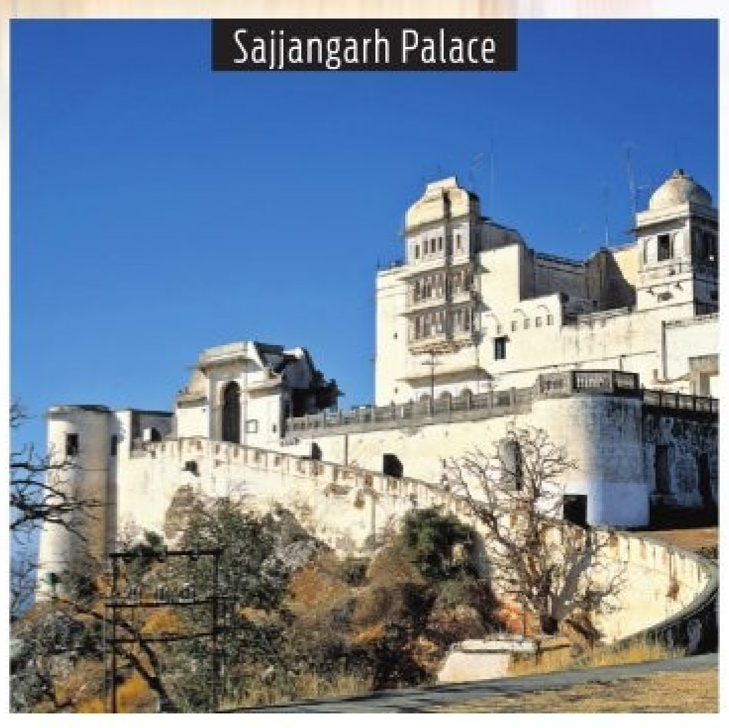
DREAM BOAT

Start with Lake Pichola — Udaipur's heart. A boat ride at sunset offers shimmering views of palaces, *ghats* and the iconic Taj Lake Palace.

SRUSHTI KULKARNI

IT'S the eternal holiday dilemma, especially when the destination is bursting with heritage, palaces and dreamy stays. You've splurged on that luxurious hotel and want to soak in every moment of it, yet at the same time, the pull of exploring a new city you've never been to before is irresistible. The question is: how do you do justice to both, savouring the stay you've paid dearly for while still getting a real taste of the place you've travelled all this way to see?

And then comes the balancing act — how do you make the most of a three-day getaway, squeezing in both the indulgence of your stay and the essence of the city? We found ourselves facing this exact dilemma in Udaipur (though truth be told, it happens almost everywhere). But this trip felt especially important, after all, the city is a treasure trove for culture vultures and history buffs alike, steeped in the legacy of Rajputana, the valour of Maharana Pratap and stories etched into its palaces and lakes. At the same time, the newly opened Fairmont Udaipur Palace was an experience in itself, so enchanting that we couldn't help but linger and soak it all in.



Sajjangarh Palace

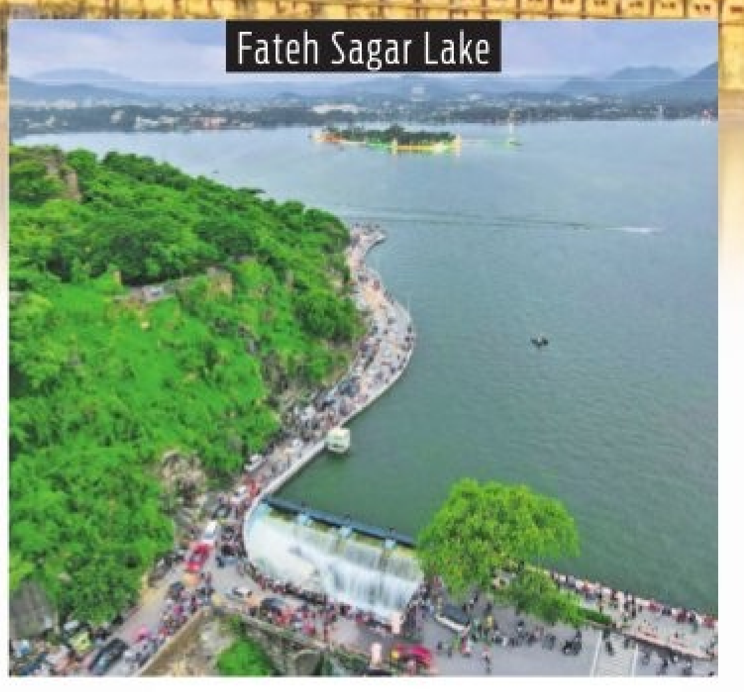
When in doubt, start with the city's beating heart — Lake Pichola. This man-made lake captures the very soul of Udaipur. A boat ride here is non-negotiable and if you can, time it for sunset. As the sky softens into shades of gold and pink, you'll be rewarded with spectacular views of the palaces and *ghats* that line the water. If you're short on time, this ride alone gives you a glimpse of almost all the city's icons, including the shimmering Taj Lake Palace (Jag Niwas). If your schedule allows, make a stop at Jag Mandir, also known as the Lake Garden Palace. Floating on an island within Lake Pichola, this gem blends Mughal and Rajput architecture and is believed to have inspired Emperor Shah Jahan when he envisioned the Taj Mahal.

TEMPLES & VIEWS

From Jagdish Temple's intricate carvings to Karni Mata Temple's ropeway panoramas, the city blends spirituality with sweeping horizons.

Bagore Ki Haveli

From there, step into the cultural fabric of the city at Bagore Ki Haveli. This 18th-century *haveli*-turned-museum is famous for its intricate mirror work, eclectic rooms filled with Rajput artefacts and the much-loved Dharohar cultural show, where folk dances and puppetry bring Rajasthan's spirit to life.

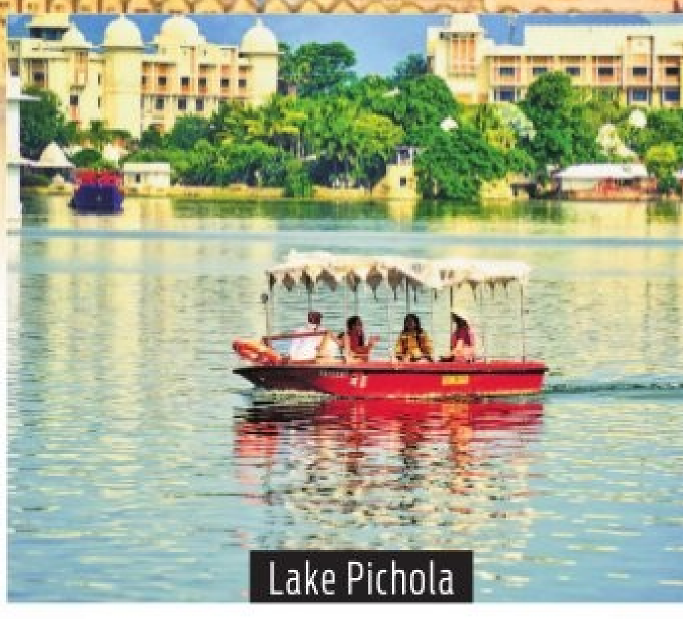


Fateh Sagar Lake

CULTURE CALLING

Step into history at Jag Mandir, Bagore Ki Haveli's folk shows and the grand City Palace. Each stop immerses you deeper into Rajasthan's royal past.

No visit is complete without the City Palace. Set on a hill overlooking the lake, this sprawling complex is both overwhelming and awe-inspiring. Its fusion of *Rajasthani* and Mughal styles is unmatched and the museum inside houses centuries of royal artefacts. Set aside a few hours here — it's worth every minute. If you stay back for the evening sound-and-light show, you'll walk away with a richer sense of Udaipur's history.



Lake Pichola

A short stroll away is Jagdish Temple, dedicated to Lord Vishnu. Its Indo-Aryan architecture, intricate carvings and grand sculpted pillars make it a striking landmark in the old city. If time still permits, take the ropeway up to the Karni Mata Temple. Beyond its spiritual significance, it offers sweeping panoramic views of Udaipur — the lakes, palaces and the Aravalli Hills stretching into the horizon. Finally, wind down with a quick detour to Fateh Sagar Lake, north of Lake Pichola. It's quieter, more serene and the perfect spot to soak in the last of the city's charm before calling it a day.

As we mentioned, all of this can comfortably fit into a single day — whether you pace it out leisurely or power through in one go is entirely up to you. But just when we thought we had ticked off the essentials, Fairmont's experiences' team surprised us with an unexpected treat. One evening, we were whisked away to the Monsoon Palace (Sajjangarh Palace), a 19th-century marvel perched on a hilltop. Built to admire the drifting monsoon clouds, it offers sweeping, cinematic views of the city and its lakes — a sunset spot like no other.

As we stood there, soaking in the glow, an almost instinctive craving for *chai* hit. The only option seemed to be the palace café, until we were quietly escorted into a room near the entrance where a private heritage high-tea awaited us. With cups of *chai*, delicate bites and the palace's grand arches framing the horizon, it was nothing short of magical — a perfect blend of history, hospitality and pure bliss. And with gratitude, we spent the rest of our time wandering through different corners of the sprawling, modern palace hotel — each space revealing its own charm and indulgence.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is for your information of the General Public that my clients Mrs Prameela Chandra, W/o. Puttur Chandrachari and Puttur Chandrachari, S/o. P. Narasimhachari are intending to purchase the property which belongs to P.N. Ansuya, W/o. S. Manjunatha, No. 19, Sri Sai Nivas, Muniswamappa Garden, Chunchaghatta Main Road, Konanakunte, Bangalore - 560 062, are intending to purchase the property bearing No. 19, Khanusumari No. 57/2, BBMP Katha EPID No. 8313814684, situated at Chunchaghatta Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, now comes under the BBMP Ward No. 195, measuring East to West : 30 feet, North to South : 53+50/2, in all measuring 1545 Sq.ft with all rights appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath are above the surface and bounded on :- **East by :** Site No. 18, **West by :** Site No. 20, **North by :** private layout, **South by :** Road.

Together with 25 Squares RCC roof residential house i.e., ground floor, 9 square first floor 8 square, and 2nd floor 8 squares in mosaic / vitrified flooring house.

If anybody has in charge lien interest or title or claim in the schedule property they should come forth with copies of documents in support of the such claim and produce the same to the undersigned within 7 days from the date of publication of this notice or contact R. Reddappa Mobile : 9900449220, in the event no such claim is received our clients shall proceed with the above said transaction as if no such claims exists or that they have been waived or abandoned.

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My clients **Smt. Parvathi Kumari Meruva,** W/o **Sai Vasu Meruva,** and Mr. Sai Vasu Meruva, S/o Giribabu Meruva, are desirous to purchase the schedule property mentioned here below from **Sri. Yogesh V, and Smt. Suma Yogesh,** who are the owners of the schedule property.

Notice is hereby given to the general public that any person/s other than the owners, asserting any right/title/charge/lien/claims and any interest whatsoever in respect of the schedule property is hereby called upon to submit to the undersigned.

The said claims/objections must be in writing together with documentary proof of such claims and objections so has to reach us to address given below within a period of **7 days** from the date of publication of this notice.

If no such claim/objections are received it shall be deemed that no one else other than the owner of the schedule property has/have any right /title/interest or claim whatsoever in respect of schedule property and my client would be at liberty to proceed with the said transactions in connection with the schedule property.

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It is to inform to the General Public that, my Clients 1) Sri.K.N.Krishnamurthy, aged about 59 years, S/o Sri. Lingappa and 2) Smt.Radha H.R. aged about 45 years, W/o Sri.K.N.Krishnamurthy, both are R/at Vittalapura Village, Dodderi Hobli, Madhugiri Taluk, Tumkur District, that they have entered in to Sale Agreement dt. 15.5.2024 with 1) Smt. Munirathnamma, W/o Sri. Sampangi .N. R/at No.47, Aprameya Brindavan, BDA Layout, Kambipura, Kengeri, Bengaluru-560 058 who is the Agreement Holder, and Sri.Mahadeshwara, S/o Sri. Krishna .M. R/at No.35, 2nd Cross, Jyothinagar, Vijayanagar, Nagarabhavi, Bengaluru-560 072, who is alleged to be a GPA Holder of Lakshminarayanappa. As per the Agreement of Sale dt. 15.5.2024, the above mentioned purchaser has not come forward for registration of the schedule mentioned property. Therefore, my client constrained to informed the same to Smt.Munirathnamma and Mahadeshwara to cancel the Agreement of Sale dt. 15.5.2024 and also forfeit the advance amount which they have paid. Further, alleged GPA which was obtained by Mahadeshwara is hereby revoked and cancelled by issuance of legal notice dt. 30.7.2025 and the same was ackanowledged by them.

In view of the said facts and circumstances, notice to the General Public that, nobody should made any transaction with the above said persons in respect of the schedule mentioned property which is shown below, forthwith hence this Public Notice. If anybody made any transactions after this notice, they may not get any legal title or right over the schedule property and they may face all the consequences at their own risk and cost.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Sy.No.19, Katha No.01, measuring 2 acres, situated at Thammenahalli Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, and bounded on: East by: Government Library West by: Remaining portion of the same Survey Number Land.

North by : Road South by: Remaining portion of the same Survey number land.

Address: **P.Yogesh,** Advocate,
No.28, 13th Cross, Near SBI, Nagarabhavi, 2nd Stage,
Malagala, Bangalore-560 091. Mob: 9886506178.

IN THE COURT OF THE HONOURABLE ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGE AT HOSUR

A.S. No: 46/2024

1. Mr. Muniraj and 5 others.

…Appellants/Plaintiffs

-V/s-

1. N. Shivasankar S/o Late Nagarajaiah, D. No. 468, 8th 'A' Main, M.S Ramaiah City, J. P. Nagar, 8th Phase, Bangalore.

2. N. Yoganand S/o Late. Nagarajaiah D. No. 38, Navasakthi Nilaya,1st Cross, Manorayanapalya New Extension, R. T. Nagar Post, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560032.

3. The Tahsildar, Taluk Office, Denkanikottai Post, and Taluk Krishnagiri District.

4. The Sub-Registrar, Denkanikottai Krishnagiri District

…Respondents / Defendants

NOTICE

Please take notice that the above appellants / plaintiffs have preferred an appeal against O.S. No. 39/2021 before this Hon'ble Court in A.S. No. 46/2024 and for other reliefs against You Respondent No. 1 to 4. The above appeal is posted on **17.09.2025,** You are hereby called upon by person or with the help of the pleader and file the objections if any before the Hon'ble Court on the said date at about 10.00 A.M., and state your objections, failing which, the court may proceed to pass exparte orders.

// By Order of the Court //

Sd/- M. Manoharan, M.B.A., LL.B.,
Advocate, No. 54/44, Tank Street
Hosur-635109, Mob: 99522 29430

SOUTHERN POWER DISTRIBUTION COMPANY OF TELANGANA LIMITED

e-Procurement Tender Notice (Paper Notification)

TGSPDCL intends to float tender for procurement of a) 24V 40AH Battery charger (conventional type) b) 11 KV 24V Feeder VCBS with CTs and CRPs c) 11 KV 24V LV VCBS with CTs and CRPs d) 33KV 24V DC Feeder VCBS with CTs and CRPS e) 33KV 220V Feeder VCBs with CTS and CRPs f) Polycarbonate Seal Bits (Blue) on e-procurement platform.

For further details of each item above, please visit www.tgsouthernpower.org, www.tender.telangana.gov.in. Phone: 040-23431360, 1033, 1035, 1026

DIPR R.O.No.514-PP/CL-AGENCY/ADVT/1/2025-26 Dt:20.08.2025 Sd/- CHIEF ENGINEER (P&MM)

Can Fin Homes Ltd.

Can Fin Homes Ltd
(Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
HOME LOANS + DEPOSITS
Translating Dreams into Reality
CIN : L85110KA1987PLC008699

CIN No : L8511OKA1987PLCOO8699
No. S-1356, 1st Floor, BEL Layout 2nd Stage,
Herohalli, Magadi Main Road, Bengaluru-91.
Phone : 080-23282923, Mobile : +91 89518 96287
Email: magadi.road@canfinhomes.com

Sale notice for sale of immovable properties
APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to rule 9 (1)]

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9 (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Can Fin Homes Ltd., Magadi Road Branch,** will be sold on holding e-auction on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 10-09-2025,** for recovery of **Rs. 22,12,325/-** (Rupees Twenty Two Lakh Twelve Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty Five Only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from **Mr. Umesha H R** and **Mrs. Nandini K N (Borrowers),** as on 20-08-2025, together with further interest and other charges thereon. The reserve price will be **Rs. 23,00,000/-** (Rupees Twenty Three Lakh only) and the earnest money deposit will be Rs. **2,30,000/-** (Rupees Two Lakh Thirty Thousand only)

Description of the immovable property

All That Piece And Parcel of Property Bearing Site Nos. 16 & 17, Old Assessment No 128/3, Present Assessment No 128/8, Mantanakurchi Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural. Property Measuring East To West: 60+62/2 Feet And North To South: 40+49/2 Feet, Totally Measuring 2714.5 Square Feet. **Bounderies : East by :** Site No. 18, **West by :** Site No. 15, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Private Property.

Encumbrances: NIL

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of **Can Fin Homes Ltd., (https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx).** Link for participating in e-auction : **www.bankeauctionwizard.com**

Date: 20.08.2025
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer,
Can Fin Homes Ltd.

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, the authorized officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** under the Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued **demand notices** to the borrower(s)/ Co-borrowers(s) calling upon the borrowers to repay the amount mentioned against the respective names together with interest thereon at the applicable rates as mentioned in the said notices within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notices, along with future interest as applicable incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. incurred till the date of payment and/or realisation.

Sr. No.	Loan No.	Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	13(2) Notice Date/ Outstanding Due (in Rs.) as on	Date/ Time & Type of Possession
1	45359630000063	1) Mr. Papa G, Also at: M/s. Rns First Grade College, 2) Mr. Anusuya P	**09.08.2024** **Rs.1,49,231.00** (Rupees One Lakh Forty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Thirty One Only) **due as on 07-08-2024**	**Date: 18-08-2025** **Time: 02:45 PM** **Symbolic Possession**
	Description of the Property: All that piece and parcel of the Southern portion of property bearing Gramatana SL. No.2303, Measuring East to West 30 Feet and North to South 20 Feet, Total Measuring 600 Sq.feet, (55.74 Sq.meter). Situated at Gangodanahalli Village, Old Madavara Grama Panchanyath, New Lakshmipura Grama Pachanyath, Dasanapura Hobali, Bengaluru North Taluk and **Bounded on: East by:** House belongs to Hanumakka, **West by:** Road, **North by:** House belongs to Manjunatha, **South by:** House belongs to Laksmamma.			
2	318704300001030 & 31879410001446	1) Mrs. N M Lavanya, 2) Mr. N M Murthy	**05.06.2025** **Rs.7,62,521.19** (Rupees Seven Lakh Sixty Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty One and Nineteen Paisa Only) **due as on 03-06-2025**	**Date: 18-08-2025** **Time: 04:00 PM** **Symbolic Possession**
	Description of the Property: All that piece and parcel of the for Property No. 50-508-37, Property Old No.1569, Nirdarana No.1569, measuring East to West 6.1 meter and North to South 5.7 meter situated at Nelamangala CMC, Nelamangala, Bangalore Rural District and **Bounded on: East by:** 50-508-35, **West by:** 52-505-38, **North by:** House belongs to Shankarappa, **South by:** Road.			

Whereas the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors, mentioned herein above have failed to repay the amounts due, notice is hereby given to the Borrower's mentioned herein above in particular and to the Public in general that the authorised officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** has **taken possession** of the properties/ secured assets described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the dates mentioned above. The Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors mentioned herein above in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid properties/ Secured Assets and any dealings with the said properties/ Secured assets will be subject to the charge of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited.**

Place: Bangalore & Bangalore Rural
Date: 21.08.2025

Sd/- Authorised Officer.
For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK (A Scheduled Commercial Bank)
Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

STATE BANK OF INDIA

HOME LOAN CENTRE, SHANKARPURAM (64063), No. 13/1, 3rd Floor, Bull Temple Road, Opp. Sri. Ramakrishna Mutt,
Basavanagudi, Bengaluru-560004. Ph : 080 25943006/007, Email Id: support.shankarpuram@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER/S

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED 'ACT ')

A notice is hereby given that the following Borrowers **1) Late Verchaswa Sharma (Deceased) Legal heirs of Borrower(s) 1) Smt.Kirti Kiran 2) Miss Varlika Sharma (Minor)** have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loan facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loan accounts have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). The notices were issued to them and guarantors under Section 13(2) of Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but they have been returned unserved and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Name and Address of the Borrower's : 1) Late Verchaswa Sharma (Deceased) Legal heirs of Borrower(s) **1) Smt.Kirti Kiran** W/o. Late Verchaswa Sharma, **2) Miss Varlika Sharma (Minor)** D/o. Late Verchaswa Sharma, (Smt. Kirti Kiran is Mother and Natural Guardian to Daughter) **Both are residing at :** No. J7-502, Provident Wellworth City, Bisuvanahalli, Yelahanka, Doddaballapua Road, Bangalore-560064.

Account No's. : HL-36816694202 Top Up Loan-40608013412 CC/OD-38488965597

Demand Notice: 31.07.2025 **NPA Date : 28.07.2025**

Amount outstanding (As on the date of notice) : Rs. 29,18,843/- (Rupees Twenty nine lakhs eighteen thousand eight hundred and forty three only) as on 29.07.2025 along with further interest at contractual rate on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc.

Description of the Immovable Property : Schedule "A" Property : (Entire Property in Which the Building is Constructed) : All that piece and parcel of residentially converted land comprised of Sy.Nos. 30 (7 Acres, 24.5 Guntas), 31 (6 Acres, 25.5 Guntas), 32 (9 Acres, 02 Guntas), 33 (9 Acres, 37.25 Guntas), 34 (6 Acres, 0.5 Guntas), and 161 (2 Acres) of Kadatanamale Village, Hesaragatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore in all measuring 41 acres, 9.75 guntas (i.e., 17,96,576.51 Sq.Ft) [which includes the land relinquished to an extent of 10 acres 28.68 guntas (i.e., 466843.94 Sq.Ft) in favour of Member Secretary, BIAAPA, in compliance with the requirements of Sanction Plan and an area of 24,193.40 Sq.Ft reserved for locating Electrical Sub-Station or Yard] and the entire property is **bounded as follows : East by :** Land in Sy.No.160, Doddaballapur Road, Land in Sy.Nos.162, 163, 164, 40 & 41, **West by :** Land in Sy.Nos. 41, 29, 30/7(P), 31/4(P), 31/3(P), 31/2(P), 31/1(P), 34/2(P), 34/1(P), **North by :** Land in Sy.Nos.37, 38 and 160, **South by :** Land in Sy.Nos.41 & 29.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY (Property Conveyed Under this Deed) : An undivided 0.0239% (Zero Point Zero Two Three Nine Percent) share (equivalent to 312.47 Sq.Ft) in the land measuring 1006611.05 Sq.Ft being the land apportioned to the Residential Development forming part of Schedule "A" Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY (Description of the Apartment) : A Three Bedroom Apartment bearing No.502 (Property No. 150200202500223095) on the Fifth Floor in "J7" Block/Wind of the residential apartment complex knows as "Provident Welworth City" constructed on the Schedule "A" Property, having a carpet area 783.62 Sq.Ft (which is inclusive of balconies, utility spaces) OR a Plinth/built up area of 878.13 Sq.Ft., (which is inclusive of balconies, utility spaces and walls of the apartment) and proportionate common area of 196.87 Sq.Ft in all having a super built up area of 1075 Sq.Ft., together with an exclusive right to use the limited common facility of one Open car parking facility to be allotted separately. The building is RCC framed structure with vitrified tile flooring, metal windows and wooden doors connected with electricity and water supply and the flat is held in the name of **"LateVerchaswa Sharma S/o Sri.Viresh Babu".**

Rectification of Sale Deed is registered on 01.08.2017 in favour of "Late Verchaswa Sharma S/o Sri.Viresh Babu" in the office of Senior SRO Gandhinagara (Yelahanka) Bangalore in Book No.1 under Document No.YAN-1-02999/2017-18 dated 01.08.2017.

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above Borrower /Guarantors/mortgagors are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of this notice under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act, 2002.

The borrowers/guarantors/ mortgagors attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Date : 31.07.2025
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer, State Bank of India
HOME LOAN CENTRE, Shankarapuram, Bengaluru

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT,

CHENNAI CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE CIRCLE

TENDER NOTICE

Tender Notice No.24/2025-2026/HDO/Dated: 19.08.2025

For and on behalf of the Governor of Tamil Nadu **Percentage tender through online only** are invited upto **30/09/2025 at 11.00** AM by the Superintending Engineer (H), C&M, Chennai Circle for the works under **CMRDP/CRIDP 2025-2026**, pertaining to Chennai City Roads (H) C&M Division-I, Chennai City Roads (H) C&M Division-II and Thiruvallur (H) C&M Division.

Details of works, approximate value of works, EMD, availability of tender documents and all other details will be available from **30/08/2025** onwards in the Government website **https://tntenders.gov.in.** If any Changes/Corrections in the tender, it will be published in the above Government website only.

Superintending Engineer (H),
C&M, Chennai Circle.

DIPR/4461/Tender/2025

GOVERNMENT OF TAMILNADU

HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT

(CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE) CIRCLE, TIRUNELVELI

TENDER NOTICE

Tender Notice No.19/2025-2026/HDO, Dated:14.08.2025

For and on bahalf of the Governor of Tamilnadu, **Two Cover System Percentage tender through online** will be received **upto 17.09.2025 at 14.00 hours** by the Superintending Engineer (H) C&M, Tirunelveli Circle for **CRIDP 2025-26** pertaining to **Thoothukudi (1 Work) and Kovilpatti (1 Work) (H) C&M Divisions.**

Details of works, approximate value of works, EMD, availability of tender documents and all other details are available from **28.08.2025** onwards in the Government website **https://tntenders.gov.in** If any Changes / Corrections in the tender, it will be published on the above website only.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER (H),
C&M, TIRUNELVELI CIRCLE.

DIPR/4465/TENDER/2025

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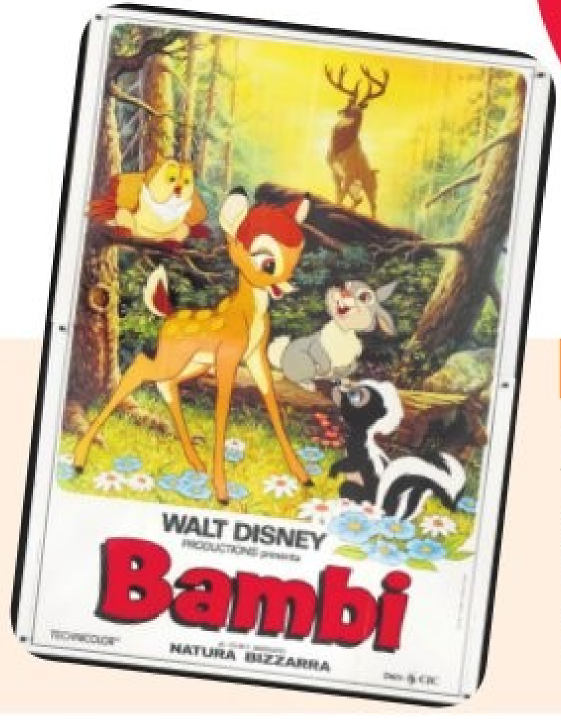

DAY'S DIARY

Disney movie release

Bambi was released on this day in 1942. The film was a critical and commercial success, despite the war, grossing over $1.6 million at the box office

WORDS TO ACTION

This American animated film, an adaptation of a novel by Felix Salten, is considered a classic in the Disney canon for its lush hand-drawn animation and its sensitive narrative

REPRESENTATION

Walt Disney doted for years on the author's animation work in an effort to depict the animals' anatomy and movement as realistically as possible

A TIMELESSS TALE

Eighty-three years after its release, *Bambi* remains a beloved classic. The film's timeless story of life, death, and coming of age continues to resonate

Curated events in and around Bengaluru
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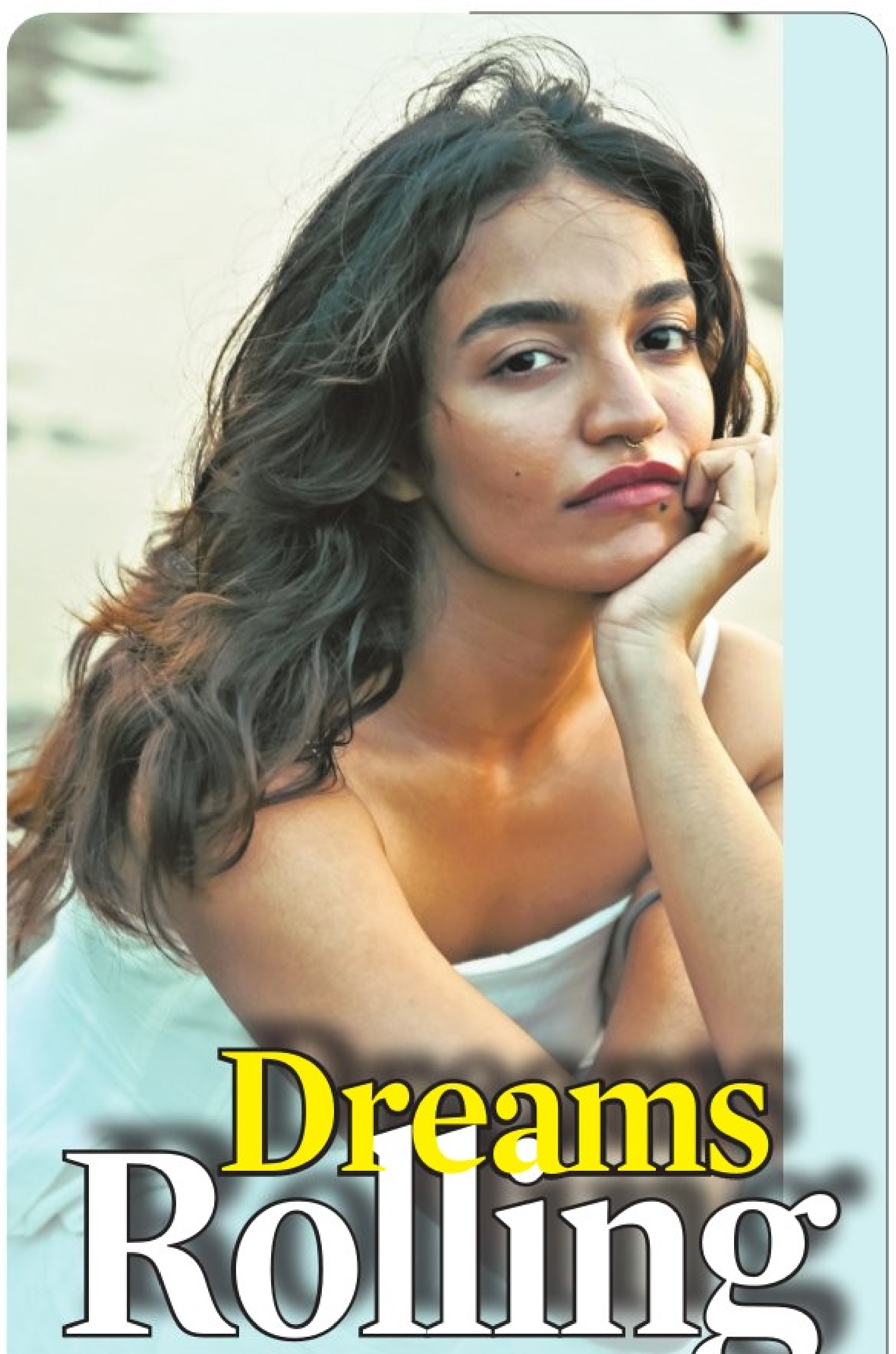


Dreams Rolling

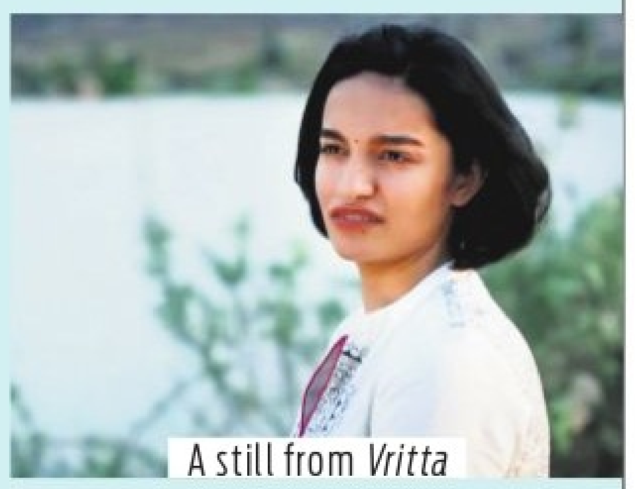
Actor Harini gets candid on her latest release, *Vritta*, and how destiny landed her in the film industry after a stint as cabin crew

ANJALI RAM

DRIVEN by passion and persistence, actor **Harini** has quietly carved her path in the film industry with hits like *Lover*, *Chilli Chicken*, and *Pathinettam Padi*. With her latest release, *Vritta*, she reaffirms her identity as a multilingual performer. In the psychological thriller, directed by Likith Kumar, Harini plays the role of the protagonist's old flame.

"It's a small role, but a crucial one. I'm a catalyst in the story's emotional arc," she shares with the excitement of marking a space in the Kannada film industry. "To understand a language and get the rhythms and intonations right while delivering emotions through the lines, which are alien to me, is a challenge I enjoy," Harini adds.

Hailing from Chennai and growing up in a conservative family, the idea of becoming an actor was a far-off dream for her. "I've always wanted to act, but I didn't know I would be able to make it," she reminisces.


A still from *Vritta*

Pressured by expectations of conventional professions and initially taking different career paths like journalism, it was while helping her friends with visual communication projects that she found herself before the camera. "The moment I stood there, I just knew. This is what I had to do, and I felt it so strongly in the core of my being; not just from my brain but from my heart," she says.

Her first steps into acting came through short films and music videos during her student years, shot in secrecy, with no expectations. But destiny, or as she calls it, the 'butterfly effect of serendipity', had a different plan. It was during her stint as cabin crew in Bengaluru that Harini landed her first role in Malayalam film *Pathinettam Padi*, through a friend she met in the city. From there, her journey expanded across multiple languages, helping her explore human emotions from many cultural lenses. "Despite all the differences, whether cultural, regional, or even religious, like languages, there lies a thread of similarity that ties all of us as human beings. And cinema as an art form tries to explore that, even while focusing on one particular area or while depicting one region's story, which appeals to the commonness of the human experience," she stresses.

Harini's characters often reflect real, familiar individuals. She cites Anu from *Chilli Chicken* as a personal favourite – a woman battling everyday struggles just to live with dignity. Despite six years in the industry, Harini acknowledges that sustaining solely through acting is still a challenge. From typecasting to lack of visibility, she's honest about the hurdles of aspiring actors: "There's so much rejection. But most of the time, it has nothing to do with your talent. You just don't fit someone's checklist."

A trained Bharatanatyam dancer and Carnatic singer, Harini dreams of exploring physically demanding roles – like a sports biopic or an action film. "The roles I play are like waves of the ocean, which is me, and the only thing I want more than anything is to not be put in a box," she says.

39 FABULOUS NATURAL RECIPES
PG 3

A NEW WAVE

MY RADIO MY LIFE, AN AWARD-WINNING DOCUMENTARY SCREENED IN 36 COUNTRIES AND OVER 80 FILM FESTIVALS, EXPLORES THE RELATIONSHIPS PEOPLE SHARED WITH THE RADIO FROM ITS GOLDEN AGE TO THE PRESENT DAY

MAHIMA NAGARAJU

Uday Kalburgi at his radio museum

Recording in Progress
School students in Mumbai recording their radio show for the internet

"I'D sit alone and watch your light, my only friend through teenage nights, and everything I had to know, I heard it on my radio," these lines crooned by Freddie Mercury in the hit classic *Radio Ga Ga*, captured the relationship that young people growing up in the golden age of radio shared with it. Many of those young people, much older now, still hang on to this intimate and nostalgic relationship, refusing to let it be relegated to the past. *My Radio My Life*, an award-winning documentary set to be screened in the city, captures these stories.

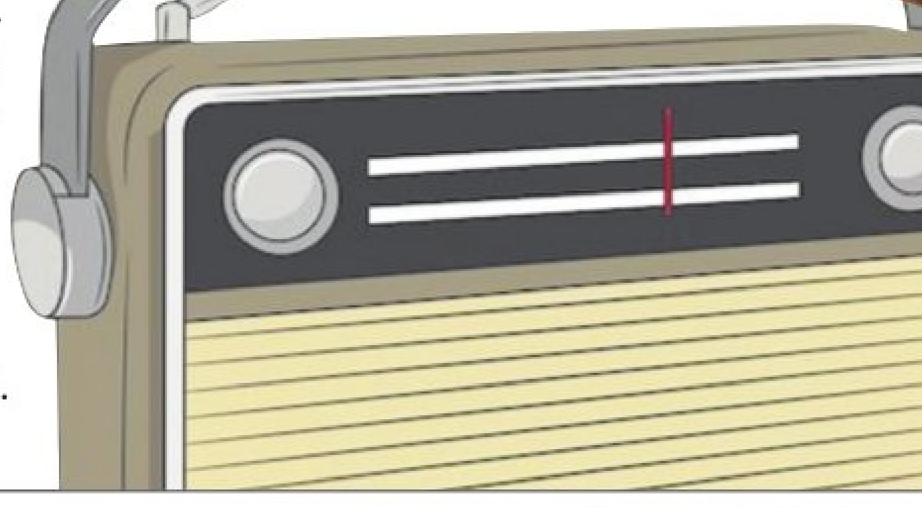
Co-director Makarand Waikar explains, "The concept was to archive it as a documentary so that anyone in the future, would know what relationship people had with the radio in an era without internet or mobile phones, when everyone depended on newspapers, magazines, and news from the radio." He adds, "Several people made decisions based on the radio, they considered it a friend, philosopher, and guide."

The documentary features the stories of six people spread across India, including Uday Kalburgi, a Bengaluru-based radio-restorer, who has founded a museum dedicated to radios. Also included are the stories of V Nallathambi, a Tamil radio announcer in *The Voice of America* who announced the Apollo 11 landing to Tamil listeners, radio announcers Yunus Khan and Mamta Singh, along with Bharathi Prasad a HAM radio enthusiast with friends across the globe, and a librarian who tirelessly tries to restore his broken radio.

Through them, the documentary weaves together fascinating stories of the radio.

The documentary does not confine itself to nostalgia, with a group of school students developing a radio programme for the internet. "The relationship with the radio may change but you never know what is going to happen in the future. These school students in Mumbai are preparing a radio programme to broadcast over the internet. The message we wanted to give is that golden era is over, but who knows, there may be a platinum era coming up," comments Waikar.

> *Several people made decisions based on the radio, they considered it a friend, philosopher, and guide*
>
> Makarand Waikar, co-director



With screenings in 36 countries, over 80 film festivals, and colleges across India, the documentary has reached diverse audiences across age groups. The team has deliberately left some things unexplained, not wanting to be an educational documentary but one that facilitates conversations. "Three generations used to come together around the radio in the evenings which is a concept that doesn't exist today with everyone on separate devices," says Waikar, adding, "We have not explained everything in the film. For example, there is this concept called radio license which most people are not aware of. You can buy a radio, but you can switch it on only if you have a license at home. We have showed the license in the film, but we want the audience to hear an explanation from someone else in the family, who may say, 'Oh, yes, I used to go to the post office on the first of January each year to get it renewed."

(My Radio My Life will be screened at Bangalore International Centre at 6.30pm on Thursday. Register at bangaloreinternationalcentre.org)

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**
Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE* on Thursday.

THE RIGHT ANSWERS ARE

1) KT Bhashyam 2) Jayanagar 3) Basavanagudi

FIRST THREE TO GET IT RIGHT

1) Dr Raghavendra Pai K
2) Anilkumar J 3) Meghana Iyer R

CITY READ

Jewellery brand creates record with retail sale of lab-grown diamond

crash.club by the C. Krishniah Chetty Group marked a milestone in fine jewellery with the private sale of a 21.82 carat Round Brilliant lab-grown diamond, VVS2 clarity, F colour, the largest lab-grown diamond of its kind ever sold to a private client. This record-breaking moment follows the brand's own previous benchmark: a 20.06 carat Emerald Cut lab-grown diamond sold in June 2024. Together, these two masterpieces are being celebrated as The Legacy Duo. "We don't follow the industry. We lead it," says Chaitanya V Cotha, director of the Group.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS KAC-1
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on 24th August 2025,
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at Carmel Convent, Bannerghatta Road,
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A Decade of Dignity, Care, and Compassion The Journey of Priaashraya

What began in 2015 as a heartfelt hope has quietly blossomed into a sanctuary of love and dignity for the elderly. Priaashraya today stands as one of Bengaluru's most respected senior care homes. It was not built on grandeur or scale, but on something far more enduring: a deep, firm commitment to the emotional and holistic well-being of our elders.

The seeds of Priaashraya were sown in personal pain. In the early 2000s, Praveen SN and Indumathi Gupta were navigating the intense pressures of a nuclear family, raising children while caring for Praveen's ailing mother, who was battling breast cancer, diabetes and paralysis at the age of 70. Despite their best efforts, she eventually succumbed to her illnesses. Her passing left not just grief, but also a question that would change their lives: *What if there was a space where elders could receive compassionate care, dignity and attention, just like family, even when families struggled to provide it all?*

That question became their calling.

Guided by that tender memory, Praveen, a strong advocate for elder inclusion, and Indumathi, a seasoned professional with a deep understanding of senior care, set out to create more than a care facility. They envisioned a home where ageing is not seen as decline, but as a phase of life rich with possibility, purpose and connection.

Ten years later, that dream thrives in two warm, welcoming Priaashraya centres. Together, they have touched the lives of over 200 elders between the ages of 65 and 104. These are individuals who may not need round-the-clock medical supervision but deeply benefit from an environment that nurtures their body, mind and soul.

Elderly residents enjoying leisure time at Priaashraya

Every detail at Priaashraya is lovingly designed around the unique rhythms of senior life. With just 30 rooms per centre, each home remains intentionally intimate, ensuring personalised care, attentive listening and the comfort of familiarity. From senior-friendly interiors and safe design to nourishing, FSSAI-certified home-style meals, everything reflects the spirit of thoughtful living.

AUGUST 21
WORLD SENIOR CITIZEN'S DAY

But what truly sets Priaashraya apart is the vibrant, soul-enriching lifestyle it offers: gentle morning stretches, cognitive games, group conversations, devotional sessions and mindful practices. Every day is a gentle celebration of life and togetherness.

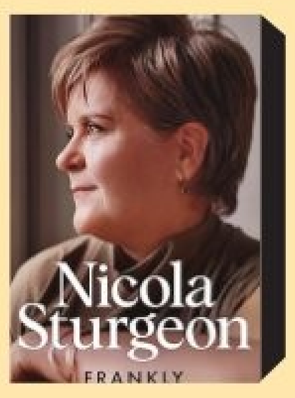
Priaashraya also offers a spectrum of flexible care options such as Short-Term Respite Care, Recuperative Stays, Assisted Living and Independent Living, allowing families to choose support that truly fits their elder's changing needs.

"We wanted to create a space where ageing is not feared, but embraced," says Indumathi Gupta. "A space where every elder is seen, heard and loved. Where life remains meaningful, dignified and joyful, every single day."

Interior of Priaashraya

A health camp held at Priaashraya

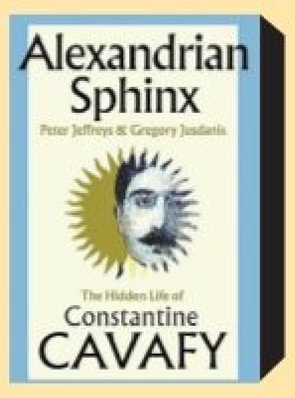
BOOK NOOK



Frankly

By Nicola Sturgeon

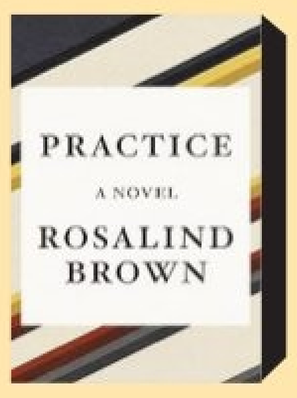
Sturgeon recounts her journey from working-class Ayrshire to the steps of Bute House. She explores the schism between her private and public personas.



Alexandrian Sphinx

By Peter Jeffreys, Gregory Jusdanis

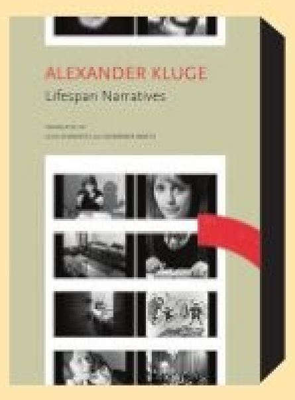
A book on Constantine Cavafy, a troubled, brilliant poet who sacrificed love for his art and changed the course of world poetry. It chronicles the story of his family, the vicissitudes of their fortunes when they left Egypt and moved to London and Istanbul.



Practice

By Rosalind Brown

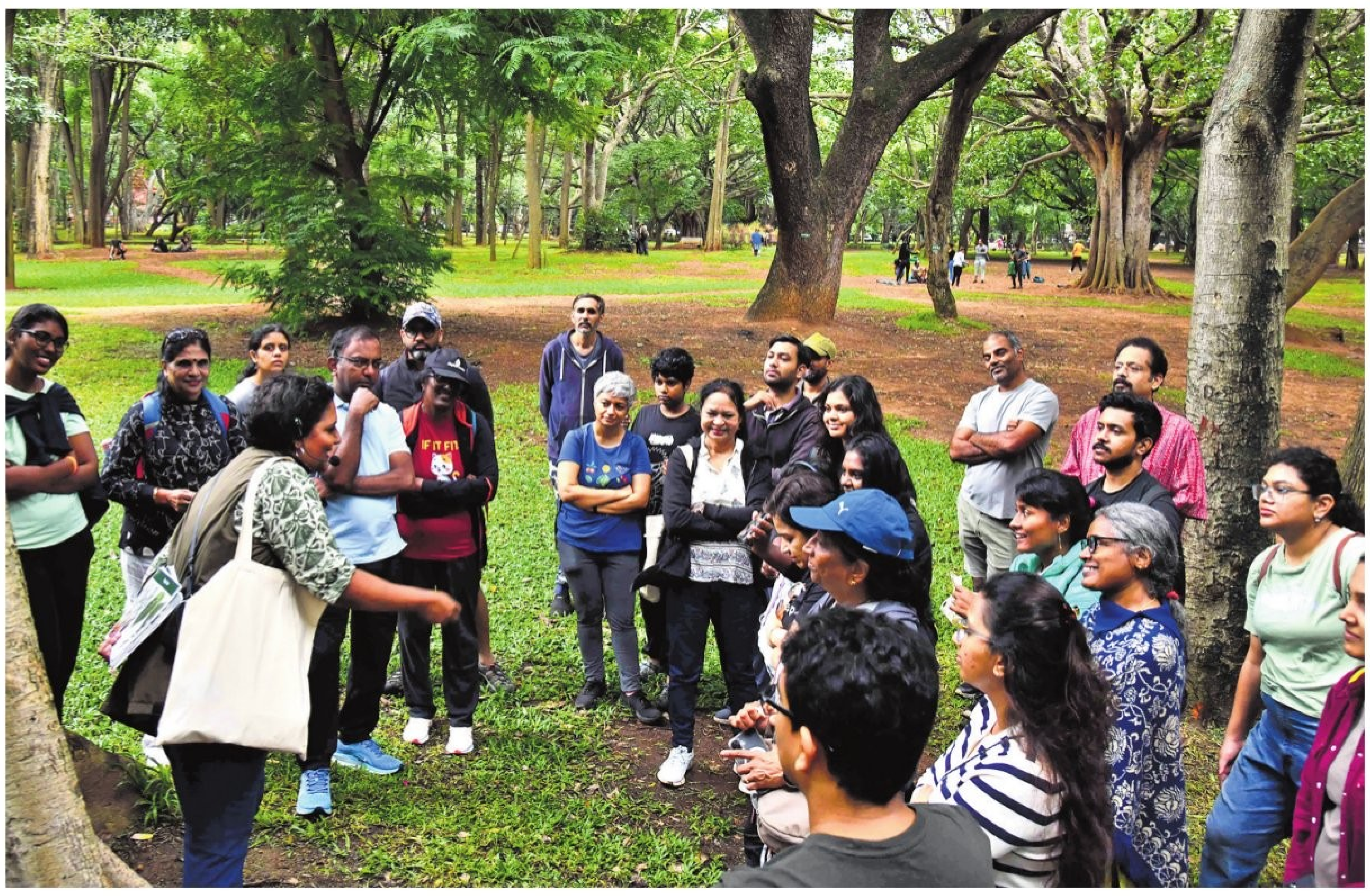
Exquisitely crafted, wryly comic, and completely original, Rosalind Brown's *Practice* is a novel about the life of the mind and the life of the body, about the repercussions of a rigid routine and the deep pleasures of literature.



Lifespan Narratives

By Alexander Kluge

Originally comprising Kluge's first book, these stories were written between the years 1958 and 1962, in which he emphasises the importance of continuously questioning our past. He underscores the need of recounting lifespan narratives even from today's viewpoint.



GREEN EXPLORATIONS

Visitors touring Cubbon Park listen intently as a guide walks them through the park's botanical diversity and history | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

QUICKFIX

CHAPATI UPMA

INGREDIENTS

- **Leftover chapatis:** 4-5
- **Onion:** 1 large, finely chopped
- **Green chilli:** 2, slit or chopped
- **Ginger:** 1 tsp, finely chopped
- **Curry leaves:** 6-8
- **Tomato:** 1 medium, chopped (optional)
- **Turmeric powder:** 1/4 tsp
- **Red chilli powder:** 1/2 tsp
- **Salt:** to taste
- **Oil:** 1 1/2 tbsp
- **Mustard seeds:** 1/2 tsp
- **Cumin seeds:** 1/2 tsp
- **Coriander leaves:** for garnish

METHOD

- Tear the leftover chapatis into small, bite-sized pieces using your hands or scissors. Set aside.
- Heat oil in a pan, add mustard seeds, and let them splutter. Add cumin seeds, curry leaves, chopped ginger, and green chilies. Saute for 30 seconds.
- Add chopped onion and saute until translucent. If using tomato, add now and cook until soft.
- Add turmeric powder, red chilli powder, and salt. Mix well. Add the torn chapati pieces to the pan.Toss well for masala to coat each piece.
- Sprinkle a little water (2-3 tbsp) if the chapatis feel too dry. Cook for 2-3 minutes on low flame. Garnish with coriander leaves.

Contributed by **Anuradha P,** Kottayam

MISS-FIT

Wanitha Ashok

The expert is a Fit India Movement Ambassador and celebrity fitness coach

If I have only 15 minutes to work out daily, what should I prioritise?

A daily 15-minute workout done smartly will beat an hour-long workout you never have time for.

- Choose compound movements like squats, push-ups and lunges that work multiple muscles at one go and raise your heart rate. This way, cardio and strength are taken care of.

ASK AN XPERT

- Choose interval training over steady state cardio or strength. For example, you can do a compound exercise like alternate plié squat for 1 minute, and 30 seconds of cardio moves like jump jacks, hops, side hops, or running in place. Choose whatever is suitable for your fitness level.
- Other options for lower body are split lunges, travelling squats, mountain climbers, and lateral lunges.
- You can also include upper body exercises and work on your biceps, triceps, shoulders and upper back.
- Train under a certified instructor to monitor your posture, alignment, and exercise execution to prevent injuries and see results.

FITBIT

PUSH, PULL, LEGS: BUILDING STRENGTH, ENDURANCE AND MOBILITY

Fitness can mean different things to different people. For some, it is running a 5K, for others, hitting 10,000 steps a day. But, improving core strength and building endurance should be central to your goals. A strong core and balanced muscle development not only enhance performance but also improve posture, stability, and everyday function. The push-pull-legs (PPL) split is one of the most efficient ways to train for lean muscle growth, cardiovascular endurance and overall strength. Your primary muscle groups are split into three focused sessions: push, pull and legs, with an optional fourth day for a full-body workout.

WHY STRENGTHEN YOUR CORE?

Your core is the central link between your upper and lower body. Movements in sports, daily chores and even posture rely on it. Weak or inflexible core muscles can affect how your arms and legs function, reducing power and increasing injury risk. A strong core improves balance, stability, and coordination. These benefits carry over into almost every physical activity.

WHY BUILD MUSCLE?

Muscle growth doesn't mean looking bulky. More lean muscle increases your basal metabolic rate, helping your body burn calories more efficiently. Strength training also:

- Increases bone density and reduces osteoporosis risk
- Supports healthy weight management
- Improves joint stability and functional movement
- Helps manage symptoms of chronic conditions like back pain, arthritis, and diabetes

WHAT IS CARDIOVASCULAR ENDURANCE?

This measures how well you can sustain moderate to high-intensity activity over time. Better endurance makes daily tasks easier and reduces the risk of illnesses like heart disease and stroke. It also:

- Supports healthy blood pressure and heart function
- Improves sleep quality
- Helps regulate weight and blood sugar
- Strengthens immunity

THE PPL TRAINING SPLIT

- **Push:** Targets upper body pushing muscles – chest, shoulders, and triceps
- **Pull:** Focuses on upper body pulling muscles – back, biceps, and traps
- **Legs:** Trains the lower body – quadriceps, hamstrings, calves
- **Full-body:** Combines upper and lower body movements for total-body conditioning.

This structure ensures balanced muscle development, enough rest between muscle group sessions and variety to prevent plateaus. It is suitable for both intermediate exercisers and beginners looking to add strength training into their routine in a manageable, progressive way.

By Abhishek K, fitness expert, cult — a fitness and wellness platform

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HAVE A RECIPE OR ART WORK TO SHARE, OR A QUESTION TO ASK?

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WHATWHENWHYWHERE

Comic Relief

Get ready for an evening of unstoppable laughter. This comedy night features a vibrant lineup of comedians delivering sharp wit, hilarious anecdotes, and light-hearted entertainment perfect for winding down your day. The ticket for the event is priced at ₹149.

WHEN: August 21, 8pm **WHERE:** Glen's Bakehouse, Kalyan Nagar **DETAILS:** allevents.in

Femme Fiesta

It's time to let your hair down and own the night! Celebrate the spirit of sisterhood with music, laughter, and unforgettable moments with your favourite girls. Grab your solo pass for ₹99 and sparkle and shine on a fun ladies' night out.

WHEN: August 21, 8pm
WHERE: Gold Rush Brews, KR Puram
DETAILS: highape.com

Graceful Evening

Experience the elegance of Bharatanatyam dancers from across Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Chhattisgarh, and more, at Bharata Kala Grama's Nritya Vasantham – Nrityotsav 2025, a two-day national-level festival of Indian classical dance, showcasing the richness of tradition and youthful artistry.

WHEN: August 23 & 24, 6pm
WHERE: Nayana Auditorium, Sampangi Rama Nagar
CALL: 98869 98990

Musical Tribute

Experience the timeless sound of The Eagles with the band Sid and the Difference's powerful tribute filled with folk, blues, and classic rock. Let the music take you back with iconic hits and soulful performances.

WHEN: August 21, 9pm onwards
WHERE: Hard Rock Cafe, St Mark's Road
DETAILS: district.in

Playtime Adventure

Let your kids dive into a day full of fun and adventure. The event offers a mix of activities designed to spark creativity and keep little feet moving – from hands-on DIY crafts and soft play zones to bouncing on trampolines and enjoying a variety of indoor games.

WHEN: August 21, 10am
WHERE: Mantri Square Mall, Malleswaram
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Healing Through Art

Discover the Japanese art of Kintsugi, where broken pieces find life. This unique workshop celebrates resilience, imperfection, and the healing power of embracing flaws.

WHEN: August 21, 3pm
WHERE: Third Wave Coffee, Church Street
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Palette Day

Unleash your creativity with colours and brushes in this guided canvas-painting session. The event is designed for both beginners and art enthusiasts.

WHEN: August 21, 11.30am
WHERE: Art Beat, HSR Layout
DETAILS: artbeatclasses.com

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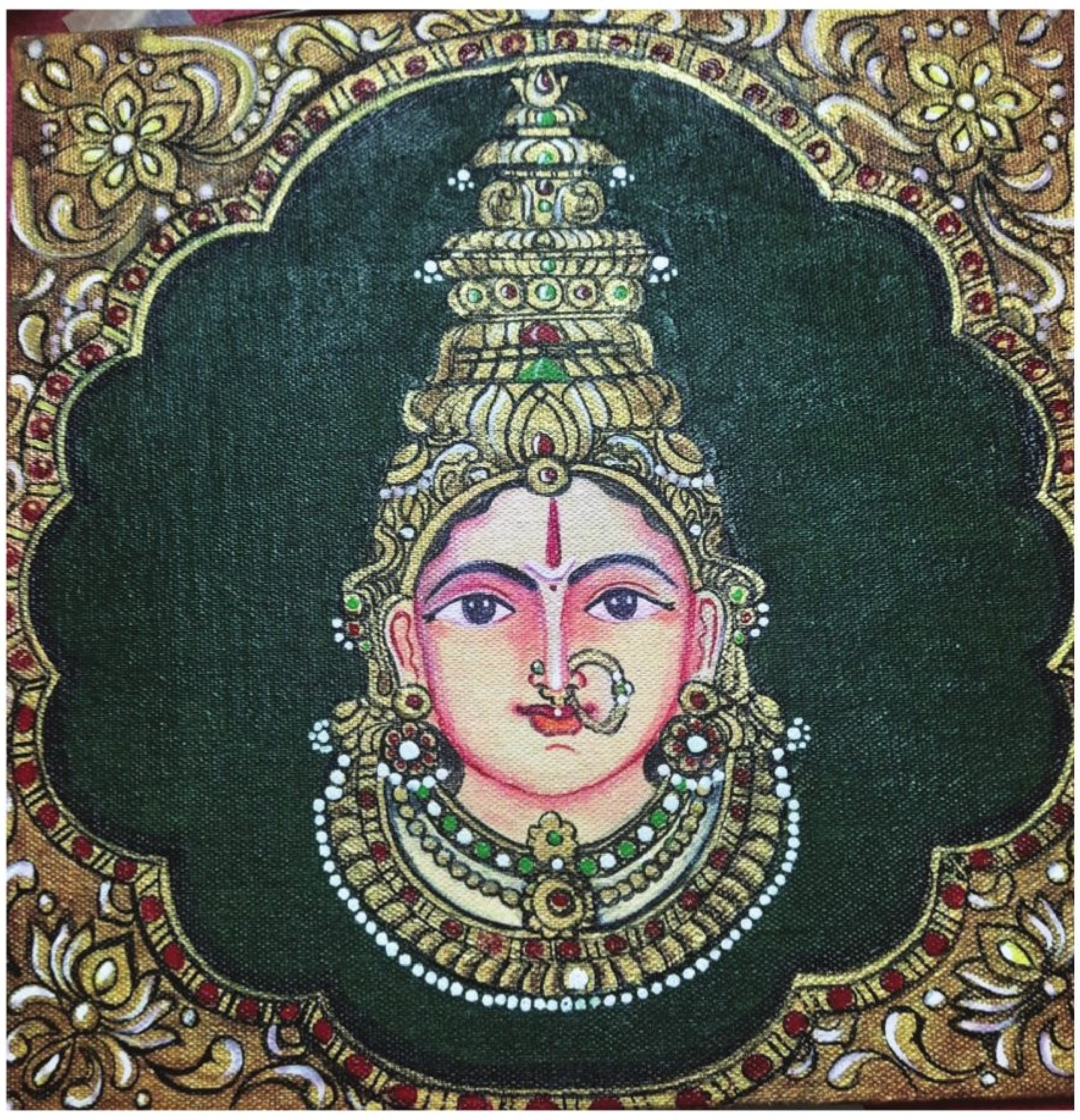

DIVINE RADIANCE

Bengaluru-based artist Chitra P's Tanjore painting showcases the serene face of Goddess Lakshmi

THURSDAY
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39 FABULOUS NATURAL RECIPES

Looking for a one-stop all-natural solution to end your skin and hair problems? Look no further!

BACK TO NATURE

SUPARNA TRIKHA
The columnist is a beauty and nature care expert

MOST people I meet are unaware of their skin type or what products to use, so they rely on recommendations from others, often resulting in a disaster. Firstly, it is important to know your skin type, and if you are unsure, then consult an expert. Now there are less harmful herbal products, but again, one doesn't know how herbal the products really are. So why not go natural, nourish your skin and hair with natural products and cause no harm?

Many of us have a vague idea of what to use, but what to mix with what and in how much quantity is important. Here are 39 inexpensive recipes for all who want to go completely natural. But remember that one must be regular to see the benefits.

- **Banana hair pack – dry hair:** Mash 2 bananas and 2 tsp honey and apply on hair for 30 minutes, and shampoo off for soft and shiny hair.
- **Banana bounce pack:** Mix 6 mashed bananas, 2 eggs, 1/2 cup beer and apply on scalp and hair for 30 minutes, then shampoo off.
- **Tightness pack:** Mix 1 whipped egg with mashed bananas, apply all over face and neck, and leave it on for 15 minutes. Wash with milk and water.
- **Banana elbow pack:** Mash 2 bananas and add 2 tsp of sugar. Rub on knees and elbows for soft skin.
- **Banana hand pack:** Mix 2 mashed bananas, lemon juice, and 2 tsp oatmeal and apply to hands for 20 minutes. Scrub off in a rotating manner for soft, beautiful hands. Take the peel of 3 bananas, add 1 egg and 2 tsp of shikakai, and apply to the hair and scalp for 30 minutes. Then shampoo off normally.
- **Potato blemish pack:** Mix 1/2 of a grated potato, lemon juice, and 1 tsp of china clay into a smooth paste and apply on face. Wash it off with water after 20 minutes.
- **Potato tightener:** Squeeze out the juice of a potato and one lemon. With a cotton pad, apply all over face and neck. Leave on till the skin becomes dry and tight, and wash off with tepid water.
- **Potato under eye pack:** Make a thick paste with 1/2 a grated potato, lemon juice, 1 tsp fresh cream, 1 tsp multani mitti. Apply it on the eyes as a pack for 20 minutes to reduce dark circles.
- **Tomato pack:** Rub halves of raw tomatoes on the face and leave on till the skin dries. Wash off to reduce oiliness.
- **Tomato tang:** Mix 1 tsp fuller's earth, juice of one lemon, and 1/2 grated tomato. Apply for an oil-free complexion.
- **Papaya purifier:** Mash a quarter of a papaya and massage on the face for 5 minutes to soften the skin.
- **Papaya scrub for sunburn:** Freeze 1 tsp fresh cream, 1 tsp sugar, and quarter-mashed papaya. Take out a spoonful and massage it on the face until the sugar granules melt with your body temperature. Wash off.
- **Pineapple cutticle softener:** Mix mashed pineapple slices with 2 tsp of vodka, and rub the mixture into the cuticles.
- **Almond exfolaite:** 5 crushed almonds, 1 tsp fresh cream, juice of half a lemon. Apply all over the face and leave on for 15 minutes. Scrub off in rotating movements.
- **Almond dark circles:** Make a paste of 5-6 drops of lemon juice, 1 tsp china clay, 3 almonds, and milk. Apply under the eyes. Wipe off with milk and then water after 15 minutes.
- **Cabbage softener**: Boil 100 g of cabbage in 1 litre water and use it to wipe the face to remove pollutants and smoothen the skin.
- **Knuckle lightener:** Ground 10 almonds with coconut oil and juice of 1/2 a lemon. Apply on hands and scrub gently into the knuckles to lighten them.
- **Cabbage pack:** Make a paste of 200 g grated cabbage, 2 tsp fresh cream, lemon juice, grated carrot, 2 tsp besan. Apply all over the face and neck for 30 minutes, and wash off.
- **Carrot mask:** Mix 1/2 a grated carrot and 1 tsp honey. Apply all over the face and neck. Wash off after 15 minutes.
- **Oatmeal and apple mask:** Mix 1 tsp oatmeal powder, 1/2 a grated apple, 2 tsp milk, apply all over face and neck for 15 minutes. Scrub off in a circular motion and wash.
- **Lemon dip:** Dip your nails into a squeezed lemon to strengthen and cleanse them. You can rub 1/2 a squeezed lemon on elbows and knees to lighten and soften dead skin.
- **Lemon and sugar surprise:** Take 1 tsp of sugar and 1/2 lemon. Apply the sugar on the hands and rub the lemon all over to reveal soft, smooth hands. Wash off stickiness with water.
- **Pineapple punch:** Mix 1 slice of mashed pineapple, juice of 1 orange, 1/2 lemon juice, lemon's rind, and 2 tsp wheat flour. Apply to the face and neck. Scrub off to smooth out sluggish-looking skin.
- **Lemon & tea rinse**: Take 1 glass of strained tea water and juice of 1 lemon. Use this to rinse after shampooing for shiny and bouncy hair.
- **Honey & vinegar rinse:** Mix 1 tsp of honey, 1 litre of water, and 1 tsp of vinegar. Use it after shampooing to rinse for soft and shiny hair. Especially good for dry to normal hair types.

Lemon pore protector: Take 1 whipped egg white, juice of 1 lemon, and 1/2 a grated tomato. Freeze the wiped egg for 20 minutes, add grated tomato, and apply on the skin.

- **Tomato & sandal pack:** Mix 1 grated tomato, 2 tsp sandalwood, and 1/2 tsp china clay in rose water and apply all over the face and neck. Wash off for tightened skin.
- **Radish relish**: Take 1/2 a grated radish, 1 tsp vinegar, juice of 1 lemon, and 1 tsp honey. Squeeze out the juice of the radish, mix in other ingredients, and add to 100 ml distilled water and store in a bottle. It will shrink open pores and reduce greasiness.
- **Guava galore:** Mix 1 mashed guava, 1 tsp oatmeal, and the juice of 1 lemon. Mix all the ingredients and apply to the face for 20 minutes. Wash it off.
- **Anti-wrinkle treatment:** Mix 1 tsp honey, 1 egg white, and juice of 1/2 a potato. Apply on the face. Wash off with cold water.
- **Carrot cleanser**: Mix 1 grated carrot, 2 tsp ground neem leaves, and 1 tsp gram flour with rose water and apply all over the face and neck. Rinse with cold water.
- **Blackhead remover:** Mix 1 lemon peel powder, orange peel powder, 1/2 a grated tomato, 1 tsp fuller's earth in rose water and apply to the face for 10 minutes. Dab with rose water and scrub off.
- **Rice recipe:** Mix 2 tsp rice powder, 2 tsp mashed papaya, 1 tsp oatmeal, and milk. Apply to face, scrub off in a rotating manner to dislodge blackheads and whiteheads.
- **Pineapple punch:** Mix 1/2 of a pineapple's juice, 2 tsp honey, and lemon juice. Store in a bottle. Wipe your face and let it dry. This will soften the skin, especially in winter.
- **Dried pea pack:** Mix 50 dried pea powder, lemon juice, 1 pinch of camphor, and milk. Apply all over the face and neck. Leave on for 15 minutes and scrub off with milk.
- **Tangy tooth whitener:** Mix 1 tsp lemon peel powder with 2 tsp orange peel powder. Rub this on your teeth daily to whiten.
- **Strawberry surprise:** Mix 5 mashed strawberries, 1 tsp china clay, the juice of 1/2 an orange. Apply all over the face and scrub in a rotating manner for 5 minutes. Wash off with fridge-cold water for a smooth and clean feel.
- **Spinach special:** Mix 1 cup of raw pureed spinach, 1 tsp gram flour, juice of 1 lemon, and 1 tsp fresh cream. Apply to the face. Leave it on for at least 30 minutes and massage while washing off with water. This pack helps give skin external nourishment of iron.

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CHANGE OF NAME

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I NO: 8037577P RANK NK NAME **PRABHU J** resident of at house No: 148, 4th Cross Mohalla NAGAPPA BLOCK, SRIRAM PURAM POST OFFICE DEVAIAH PARK POLICE STATION SRIRAM PURAM TEH & DIST BANGALORE STATE KARNATAKA PIN : 560021 Have changed my son NAME From **MUDITH P** to **P. VEDHAS** and His DATE OF BIRTH is 26 OCTOBER 2024 for all purpose vide Affidavit Date 18 August 2025 before Notary L.N.DIMRI Certificate NO IN-UK13221124762619X

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MITHUN KARANTH**, aged 39 years, S/o. Seetharama Karanth, residing of No. 003, Ground Floor, SLV Meadows, Arunachalam Layout, Kommaghatta Road, KS Town, Bengaluru-560060, have changed my name from **MITHUNA KARANTH** to **MITHUN KARANTH** vide affidavit dated 20-08-2025 sworn before Notary **DEEPA M.** BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **NAVEEN NANDINI RAO,** aged 39 years, W/o. **Naveen Narayana Rao,** residing of No. 363, 10th Main 1st Cross, Behind BBMP Office Sampige Layout, Basaveshwara Nagar Bengaluru-560079, have changed my name from **NAVEEN NANDINI** to **NAVEEN NANDINI RAO** vide affidavit dated 20-08-2025 sworn before Notary **DEEPA M.** BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Sumithra Rao,** wife of late Dr. Rama Rao Subba Rao, born on 08/02/1952 and residing at No. 1631/1, Dhathree, 32nd Cross, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560070, have changed my name, as appearing in various Government and other records, from **Begamudre Sumithra Rao, Sumitra Beegamndre Rao, Sumithra Rao Beegamudre, Sumithara Rao Begamudre, B Sumithra Rao, Sumithra B Rao, Sumitra B, B Sumitra Rao, Sumitra B Rao, Sumithra Rao B, and Sumitra Rao B** to **Sumithra Rao** before Advocate and Notary **Mrs Anitha Bai,** Reg. No. 9391 on account of spelling errors appearing in various records.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHOBHA METRANI,** spouse of Wg. Cdr **SURESH NARSINHRAO METRANI** (Retd) (Service Number 10115), presently residing at No B-04, Rema sky view apartments, 2nd main , 2nd cross, K R gardens, Murugeshpalya, Bengaluru- 560017, Karnataka, have changed my name from **SHOBHA METRANI** to **SHOBHA SURESH METRANI** and my date of birth is 27-08-1948 (Twenty Seven August Nineteen Forty Eight)., vide affidavit dated:19-08-2025 before Notary **Jalandhara** at Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **UMA HEBBAL,** W/o Sri Shivakumar M Teli, R/at No. 136, Origin Harmony Grooves Layout, Kurudu Sonnenahalli Road, Near Lake Mont Fort School, Seegehalli, Bangalore North, Virgo Nagar Post, Bangalore-560 049 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **UMA SHIVAKUMAR TELI** to **UMA HEBBAL,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **UMA HEBBAL** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 20-08-2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **C. SASIKALA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **A. KHURSHEED alias KHURSHEED BEGUM,** W/o. Mr. V.S. Anwar Basha, D/o. S.A.Samad & Khairunnisa, Residing at No.118/6, Hennur Main Road, Kacharakanahalli, Behind Jyothi School, St. Thomas Town Post, Bangalore - 560 084, I am using both the names that **"A. KHURSHEED AND KHURSHEED BEGUM"** before the Notary Public Shri. SIVAKUMARA .M.N., Bangalore on 16th day of August 2025.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SRUSHTI TARNALLE** D/O DILIP KUMAR TARNALLE R/o No. 83, 1st Main, 6th Cross, Chamundi Layout, Agrahara ext, Agrahara, Yelahanka, Post and District, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560064, have changed my name from **SRUSHTI** to **SRUSHTI TARNALLE,** vide affidavit dated 12/8/2025 sworn to before M Rajendra Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **AVANI ARUN KUMAR MALATKAR,** D/o, ARUN KUMAR MALATKAR NAGENDRA RAO residing at 501, Anjana Residency, 391B, 392B, 393B, Sriramnagar, Kondapur, Hyderabad, Rangareddy, 500 084, Telangana, have changed my name from **AVANI ARUN KUMAR MALATKAR** to **AVANI MALATKAR,** vide affidavit dated 16/8/2025 sworn to before Puttaramaiah Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, ANAND RATKAL, R/o H.No. 11-45/19A, MSK Mill Road, North Ganganagar, Kalaburagi – 585103 have changed my name from **ANAND to ANAND RATKAL.** Hereafter, in all my dealings and documents, I will be known by the name **ANAND RATKAL.** (Sd/-)

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **HABIB HASAN**, S/o. Hasan Khan, Residing at No. # 45, Govindapura, Madalakote Post, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural- 562123, have changed my name to **HABIB KHAN**, vide affidavit dated 19.08.2025, sworn before notary R Lakshminarayana, Bangalore Rural.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **CHANDRASHEKHAR @ CHANDRASHEKHAR BULLA** S/o Manikappa Bulla, age 38 years, R/at No. 1/284, Gadawanti Village, Gadawanti Post, Humnabad Taluk, Bidar District-585 353 do hereby declare that both the names i.e. **CHANDRASHEKHAR @ CHANDRASHEKHAR BULLA** are one and the same and refers to me only, vide affidavit dated 20th August 2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **PUTTARAMAIAH** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MAHABOOB BAIG**, D/o. JC43992X, Maj Hon/LT, late Alim Hafizulla Baig, and late Sunima Bee, residing at #38, 2nd Cross, K G Layout, Chikka Gubbi Village, Bengaluru 560077, have changed my name from **MAHABOOB BAIG** to **SHAHUL HAMEED B** vide Affidavit dated: 20/08/2025, sworn before Notary **L.GOPALAKRISHNA,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **CHANDRAKANT REVANASIDDAPPA** S/o REVANASIDDAPPA, R/a. No.37/N, Byaraveshwara Enclave Thippenahalli, Doddabidarakallu, Nagasandra Post Bangalore- 560073. Have changed my name from **CHANDRAKANT REVANASIDDAPPA** to **CHANDRAKANT** vide affidavit dated : 30/07/2025, sworn before V.Anjanappa.Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ARUN GOWDA,** aged about 45 years, S/o, Nagaraj, Residing at, No.06, 2nd Main, 2nd Cross, Anjanappa Layout, Kothanur Village, Kothanur, Bangalore-560077, have changed my minor Daughter's Name from **BHOOMIKA GOWDA. A.** (Old Name) to **VIBHA A YESHASWI** (New Name), vide Affidavit dated: 19-08-2025, Sworn before Advocate & Notary Public, Ziaulla, Kolar

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) DAVOOD KHAN S/o Late Ahmedkhan MustafaKhan, residing at #760, Madeena Road Cross HM Mohalla daira Channapatna Town, Bangalore south District-562160, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) DAVOOD KHAN to (NEW NAME) DAWOOD KHAN** Vide Affidavit Dated 19.08.2025 sworn before Notary A.R.Nagendra, Channapatna.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **PRACHI JAIN,** D/o Manish, r/at No. 7/1, 1st Cross, S V Lane, Mamulpet Cross, Bengaluru-560 053 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **PRACHI M JAIN** to **PRACHI JAIN**, henceforth I shall be known and called as **PRACHI JAIN** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 19th August 2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **MAMATHA .N.K** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ADIVEPPA KAMBLE** S/o Late Chidanand, age 62 years, R/at No. A 604, 6th Floor, Godrej Platinum, International Airport Road, Hebbal, Bangalore-560 024 do hereby declare that both the names i.e. **ADIVEPPA KAMBLE** and **ADIVEPPA CHIDANAND KAMBLE** are one and the same and refers to me only, further I used to sign my signature as **ADIVEPPA KAMBLE** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 20-08-2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **G.R. RAVICHANDRA REDDY** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ANJINAMMA** W/o Nagaraj Resident of No.78, Veeranna palya, Bengaluru North, Arabic College, Bengaluru-560045, Karnataka Do hereby solemnly affirm that as per my voter ID, Ration card, BBMP employee card and pan card my name is **ANJINAMMA** but in my Aadhar Card it is mentioned as **ANJALI** Both the names belong to me only. Henceforth my name will be **ANJINAMMA** in all my records and documents Vide affidavit dated 20.08.2025 sworn before Advocate and Notary, **S R Ravikumar,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, DEEPA G. KADKOL, D/o. Gururaj S Kadkol, aged about 42 Years, Residing at No. 70/C, 5th Cross Maramma Temple Street, Near Maramma Temple, Hulimavu B.G. Road, Bengaluru South, Bengaluru, I declare that below mentioned both names **DEEPA KADKOL** and **DEEPA G. KADKOL** belongs to me only and one and the same person's names only, vide affidavit dated 11/8/2025 sworn to before B Chitra Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Shivalila Taleppagol, W/o. Yallappa Mallappa Taleppagol, R/at H.No. 3379, Hospet Galli, Gokak, Belagavi-591307, Karnataka, India, I have changed my name from **SHIVALILA YALLAPA TALEPPAGOL** to **SHIVALILA TALEPPAGOL.** Vide affidavit dated 19.08.2025 sworn before Advocate & Notary H.S.Sakalesh Aradhya, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) FARATH UNNISA W/o Late chanda saheb, residing at # 840-2, idigar street Channapatna Town, Bangalore south District-562160, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) FARATH UNNISA to (NEW NAME) FARHATH UNNISA** Vide Affidavit Dated 19.08.2025 sworn before Notary A.R.Nagendra, Channapatna.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **POOJA NAVEEN,** W/o Naveen, D/o Late Basavaraj, age 38 years, R/at No. 14/1, 6th Temple Street, 15th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560 003 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **POOJA BASAVARAJ** to **POOJA NAVEEN,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **POOJA NAVEEN** for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 20th August 2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **T.C. THIMMARAJA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **DHIREN RAO**, S/o D. Narayana Rao, age 25 years, R/at 182/B, 2nd Main, 3rd B Cross, Domlur Layout, Bangalore-560 071 do hereby declare that all the names i.e. **DHIREN RAO S/o D Narayana Rao, D DHIREN RAO D/o D Narayana Rao, DHIREN RAO DUDALA S/o D Narayana Rao, DUDALA DHIREN RAO S/o D Narayana Rao, DR DUDALA S/o D Narayana Rao** are one and the same and refers to me only, vide affidavit dated 20-08-2025, sworn before Advocate and Notary **P.M. NAGARAJ** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ARIFUNNISA**, D/o. JC43992X, Maj Hon/LT, late Alim Hafizulla Baig, and late Sunima Bee, residing at #38, 2nd Cross, K G Layout, Chikka Gubbi Village, Bengaluru 560077, have changed my name from **ARIFUNNISA** to **PARVEEN**, vide Affidavit dated: 20/08/2025, sworn before Notary **L.GOPALAKRISHNA**, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, RAVINANDANA ADIGA S/o. J. Ramakrishna Adiga, residing at No.377, Sreeraksha, 1st Main Road, Canara Bank Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bengaluru - 560097, have changed my name from **RAVINANDANA** to **RAVINANDANA ADIGA,** vide affidavit dated 20/8/2025 sworn to before B.Chitra Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Prabha Krishnamurthy, residing at No. 50, Shanthala, 10th Cross, West of Chord Road, Mahalakshmi Puram, Bengaluru North, Bengaluru-560086 hereby declare that my names **Prabhamani M R** and **Prabha Krishnamurthy** belongs to one and the same person, henceforth, I have decided to continue my name in future as **Prabha Krishnamurthy** Vide-affidavit dated 19-08-2025. Sworn before advocate and Notary, Mamatha N.K., Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, (OLD NAME) NISAR AHMED S/o MOHAMED KHAN, residing at No. 1527/B, Nizami Chowk Cross Daira Channapatna Town, Bangalore South District-562160, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) NISAR AHMED S/o MOHAMED KHAN to (NEW NAME) NISAR AHMED KHAN S/o MAHAMOOD KHAN** vide affidavit dated 16.08.2025 sworn before Notary Vedavathi.T.D., Channapatna.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **VIPUL KIRAN CHAUGULE,** resident of #542, CHIRAG, C M H Road, Near Indiranagar Metro Station, Indiranagar I Stage, Bengaluru 560038, have changed the name of my minor daughter from **SHIKHA** to **SHIKHA CHAUGULE** vide Affidavit Dated: 19/08/2025, sworn before Notary **MEER HASSAN,** Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **VANAJA,** is legally wedded spouse of No. 1382905F, Ex Late, NK, V VICTOR, residing at No.76, 9th Cross, 9th Main, Maruthi Layout, Hennur Cross, Kalyananagar, Bangalore-560043, have changed my name from **VANAJA** to **VANAJA P,** vide affidavit dated: 19.08.2025 before Notary **S.Samuel Solomon,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **JAISHANKAR .C.P**, S/o. Putte Gowda .C.M, residing at No. 421, 9th Block, BSK 6th Stage, Bengaluru-560060, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **JAI SHANKARA C P** to **JAISHANKAR .C.P,** vide affidavit dated 19.08.2025, sworn to before Sumithra .N, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, PRAKRUTI TARNALLE D/O DILIP KUMAR Alias DILIP KUMAR TARNALLE & RENUKA Alias RENUKA TARNALLE. R/o No. 83,1st Main, 6th Cross, Chamundi Layout, Agrahara ext, Agrahara, Yelahanka, Post and District, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560064, have changed my name from **PRAKRUTI** to **PRAKRUTI TARNALLE,** vide affidavit dated 12/8/2025 sworn to before M. Rajendra Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, Gouri Rajath, W/o. Rajath Kumar, R/a No. 153, SLT Complex, Bharath Nagara, 1st Phase, Magadi Road, Vishwaneedam, Bengaluru-560091, Karnataka, India, I have changed my name from **GOURAMMA BAVIKATTI** to **GOURI RAJATH.** Vide affidavit dated 19.08.2025 sworn before Advocate & Notary H.S.Sakalesh Aradhya, Bengaluru.

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‘Our job as actors is to remove doubts once we enter a project’

Ankita Amar and Shine Shetty

A candid conversation with Shine Shetty and Ankita Amar on their upcoming family drama, Just Married, their personal choices, and the unique touch of director Bobby CR

A SHARADHAA

JUST MARRIED, directed by Bobby CR and co-produced along with Ajaneesh Loknath under ABBS Studios, brings together Shine Shetty and Ankita Amar as Surya and Sahana. The family drama is steeped in traditions, conditions, unexpected turns, and for the two lead actors, this project carries an extra weight.

As the release nears this week, the mood between the two is part relief, part nervousness. Ankita compares it to waiting outside an examination hall. “I still feel like I am waiting for results,” she says. “We haven’t watched the film yet, and the real reaction is going to come from the audience. Until then, there is that nervous energy, because you don’t know how it has shaped up.

Shine laughs, while admitting the title of the film has confused people around him. “My mother keeps saying Just Married is a clue for me to get married. Even my friends and family were asking why they weren’t invited to my wedding. They thought I had secretly married. Now they’ve realised this is about my first outing as a main lead. The first step is always important, and I feel grateful Ajaneesh sir believed in me. He always said, ‘Prepare yourself for something better,’ and it was his call that really pushed me. I’ve done serials, I’ve been on Bigg Boss, I’ve played character roles, but this one was due for a long time. It is slowly sinking in that I am finally here.”

He recalls how director Bobby spotted him and trusted him with Surya, a character bound by a strange six-month horoscope window for marriage. “Seventy per cent of Surya is Shine Shetty,” he admits. “I could relate to the family he craves. It felt like a vacation living in that household, surrounded by so many characters. I have always dreamt of that kind of family legacy.”

For Shine and Ankita, the ensemble only added to the sense of achievement. “From Devaraj, Achyuth Kumar, Shruti, Malavika Avinash, Ravi Shankar, Sriman, Anup Bhandari, Vani Harikrishna to Shruti Hariharan, sharing screen space with such a lineup is like graduating from a school of cinema. You learn from every single person, and I feel fortunate to step into the lead space with so much talent around me.”

For Ankita, stepping into the shoes of Sahana came with its own set of terms. “When Bobby narrated the role, I said yes immediately, but I also had to be honest about my limitations. I told her no kissing scenes, no short dresses, and of course, when the script had the ‘first night’ sequence, I was worried. But Shine was such a supportive co-actor. He gave me confidence, and I realised I wasn’t asking too much. Professionally, you still have to say yes to the director, but as a person, you set boundaries.”

Sahana, she hints, mirrors that thought. “There are rules she lays down for Surya—he shouldn’t touch or even talk to another girl. At the same time, she has to achieve her dream. It’s an unusual dynamic, and I think audiences will enjoy discovering it.”

What makes the film extra special for Ankita is working with a woman director for the first time. “Though my debut was *Ibbani Tabbida Illeyalli*, my first opportunity came with *Just Married*. Bobby saw Sahana in me before I believed it myself. She pushed me to be more glamorous than I usually am. Working with a woman director is different—you can sense her constant focus on emotions. Bobby would even play music on set to set the mood of a scene. A male director and a female director both have the same vision, but they bring different sensibilities. For me, it felt like I could define that thin line for the first time.”

Agreeing to this line of thought, Shine says, “It’s like the difference between a mother and a father. Both love you, but their ways are different. I worked with Rishika Sharma earlier for Vijayanand, and now with Bobby for *Just Married*, and I feel that at the end of the day, the director is the captain of the ship, irrespective of the gender. Our job as actors is to remove doubts once we enter a project and just give it everything.”

The roles I do now are stronger and more meaningful than before: Priyanka Upendra

The multilingual actor opens up about her fascination with horror, her latest film *Kamarottu 2*, which she says is mounted with a Hollywood-level approach, and why cinema for her has always been about destiny and discovery

A SHARADHAA

PRIYANKA UPENDRA has never allowed language or geography to limit her journey. Having worked in Kannada, Bengali, Tamil, and Telugu, she believes cinema is a universal medium that transcends borders.

“I never really thought about how different languages would shape me,” she says, ahead of her latest release, *Kamarottu 2*. “I’ve always had an immense love for cinema. Acting wasn’t even something I planned. Meeting Upendra brought me deeper into films, and from then on it was about learning on the job. Of course, conviction in performance comes with knowing the language, but cinema is largely visual — it connects beyond words.”

The sequel to *Kamarottu Check Post (2019)*, directed by Paramesh, hits theatres on August 22. Priyanka plays Sara Trivedi, a paranormal investigator with a Western-inspired look, who dives into the eerie mysteries of the supernatural.

Priyanka credits her fans for her continued presence in cinema. “They’re my biggest inspiration. After marriage, I honestly didn’t think I’d continue acting. I wanted to focus on my family. But then Bengali films came, and slowly, I took baby steps back into work. My fans watched every film and gave feedback — now, especially with social media, they make me want to keep going.”

Does she feel the struggle is harder for female actors as they move forward in their careers? “Not at all,” she insists. “In fact, I feel the roles I’m doing now are stronger and more meaningful than some of my earlier work. Numbers and hits aside, projects like *Mummy: Save Me* or Paramesh’s *Kamarottu 2* stand out because they offer powerful characters without an age bar. The credit goes to directors who trust me with such parts.”

Horror, Priyanka admits, has always fascinated her. “I’ve always loved the genre. Even my siblings and I enjoyed the jump scares. After marriage, I became more interested in energies — good and bad. Horror allows you to explore that. With Mummy: Save Me, fear was shown from my perspective as a mother. In *Kamarottu 2*, it’s different. I play the one investigating fear. Paranormal investigators are never really scared of ghosts — they’re looking for answers. My character even has psychic layers, connecting past and present. It was thrilling to research that.”

For Sara Trivedi, Priyanka also experimented with her looks. “I coloured my hair red, added new eye shades, gave inputs on styling. It wasn’t just a costume; I felt like I was wearing the character.”

On set, especially with horror films, rituals were common. “When I did Mummy, I wore a Lakshmi amulet. Now, I do Devi pooja regularly. Horror films can create portals — so respecting energies was important. I even practiced using tools like pendulums and EMF readers. At one point, the pendulum really connected — no graphics, no tricks. It was surreal.”

Priyanka believes *Kamarottu 2* is mounted with a Hollywood-level approach. “Director Paramesh and his team were particular about authenticity. We used natural effects wherever possible, shot nights extensively, and filmed in a 400-year-old Udupi house, the same one from Kantara. Working in that space till 3 or 4 am was an experience in itself. Cinematographer Sangamesh Wale and music director AT Ravish have given the film a strong technical edge. It’s a three-dimensional story with elements like astral travel — very rare for Indian horror.”

Choosing projects has never been about financial terms, she adds. “At this stage, I want to be part of good films. Money comes later. As a woman protagonist, the struggle is different — we have a limited audience. We still need to create space for women-oriented films, better show timings, and multiplex support. But slowly, we’re moving forward.”

She also hints at exploring direction. “I’m in the writing stage now. I want to create, not just act. For me, exploring new roles is exciting. I want to do women-oriented cinema but also experiment with other genres.”

A Filmy Household

Naturally, the conversation turns to her husband, actor-director Upendra, and his latest appearance in Coolie. “Uppi was so thrilled about *Coolie* that he called me from Chennai, and expressed how excited he was to be part of a Rajinikanth project. Even though it’s a cameo, he brings such energy. For him, just standing next to Rajinikanth was enough. That excitement never goes away.” Did she ever get an opportunity to work with Rajinikanth herself? “Not yet. But who would say no to Rajinikanth?” As for giving tips to her husband, she laughs. “He’s senior to me! I do feel he has a lot of untapped potential as an actor — I’d love to see him in more realistic roles where he can surprise people.” Now, it’s their son Aayush’s turn as his debut is around the corner. “It felt like the right time. He’s studying filmmaking and looking at it seriously. We’re a filmy family, after all — cinema runs in our blood.” For Priyanka Upendra, the journey has been less about planning and more about embracing destiny. Whether as an actor, mother, or a future filmmaker, she thrives on creating. “My fans have stood by me through every phase. With *Kamarottu 2*, I hope to give them a horror film that thrills, scares, and connects on a deeper level.”

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Priyanka Upendra

My time in theatre gave me the strength to be in cinema : Abhimanyu

CE FEATURES

ABHIMANYU is learning first-hand what it takes to step into the shoes of a hero. For someone who has lived the rhythm of theatre, the transition to cinema feels less like a leap and more like destiny. “I was the ninth actor the director considered for *Hacche*. I feel it is destiny that brings us to the cinema. Writer and director Yashodhara travelled to find the right actor, and I’m happy he saw that in a newcomer,” he says with conviction.

The stage may have been his foundation, but the screen is now his proving ground. “My time in theatre has given me strength. It is an art that allows you to thrive at any stage you are in. Whatever I learnt from theatre, I have put into this film.”

That process now leads him to *Hacche*, a suspense thriller produced under the Ashwa Films banner and written and directed by Yashodhara. Slated for release on August 22, the film promises a blend of mystery, drama, and historical elements. Its title, which translates to ‘tattoo,’ becomes the metaphorical anchor to its central story. Abhimanyu steps into the role of Surya, a garage boy and orphan whose journey towards connection and purpose forms the heart of the film.

“This is a realistic character, and I observed a lot of people for my role. Even someone who puffs a beedi or works in a garage has a unique language, and that fascinated me,” he shares. For him, authenticity lies in the smallest of details, and he insists on grounding his process in them. “I am that actor who loves practicing in front of the mirror—it helps me to analyse myself, without it criticising me,” he adds.

The film pairs him with Adya Priya in the lead, supported by an ensemble cast that includes Anu Prabhakar, Gururaj Hoskote, Dushyant, Shrimant Suresh, and Chandru Bande. Behind the camera, the technical crew has Vivek Chakravarthy composing the music, and cinematography by Yaseen, and Suresh Arumugam as editor.

For Abhimanyu, *Hacche* is an arrival. “It feels like a new beginning, and the start of something I want to give my all to.”

Vijay Raghavendra’s fierce new avatar in *Rippan Swaamy*

CE FEATURES

THE trailer of *Rippan Swaamy* has dropped on PRK audio, and it shows Vijay Raghavendra in a never-seen-before ferocious look. Directed by Kishore Moodbidri, the film moves away from the actor’s usual portrayals of a lover boy or an investigation officer to present him as a brooding figure, whose every move drips with intensity. “When the staff falls into his hands, blood is bound to flow,” the trailer hints, leaving audiences wondering – whose blood does Swami spill? What is the life of forest dwellers truly like? These questions linger, with answers promised when the film hits theatres on August 29.

The trailer launch saw the entire cast and crew coming together, each sharing their perspective on the journey of the film. For Vijay Raghavendra, it was a day of satisfaction. “Today feels like a fulfilling day for our entire team. Before *Rippan Swaamy* happened, Kishore sir went through a lot of struggles. I had even told him not to wait for me and suggested giving the story to someone else. But he was convinced only I could do it. With that madness, this film was made. During Malgudi Days, I had joked that I was done playing the good guy and wanted something different. My only wish is that whichever character I play, people should feel I’ve done justice to it — and I believe that has happened here.”

Director Kishore Moodbidri traced the origin of the story. “During Malgudi Days, the seed of this idea was planted. Later, I developed it into a full script. I believe the film should speak first; only then should we speak. With the support of many producers, Rippan Swaamy was made possible.” Shot extensively in Koppa, Kalasa, and Balehonnur, Rippan Swaamy marks the first production of Panchanan Films, backed by like-minded collaborators. The film also features music by Malayalam composer Samuel Aby, cinematography by Ranganath CM, and editing by Shashank Narayan